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## JOHN W. WHITNEY

It is appropriate at this time to note with appreciation the generous and untiring service which "Williard" Whitney rendered to the Town and School District of Plainfield. In 1924 Mr. Whitney began his service as a public official and served continuously in various capacities until the time of his death.

He held the following Town Offices: Selectman for three terms, 1925-27, 1939-41, 1942-1944; Overseer of the Poor two years, 1926-27; Road Agent four years, 1931-1934; Trustee of Trust Funds seventeen years, 1931-1947; he was serving his fourth year as Town Treasurer, 1948-1951; Town Auditor three years, 1945-1947; Representative to the State Legislature session of 1939; he also was a member of the Finance Committee for several years.

He served the School District as Treasurer ten years, 1924-1933; and was serving his fourteenth year as District Clerk, 1938-1951; District Auditor three years, 1945-1947.

## **TOWN OFFICERS**

### **Moderator**

(Term expires 1953)

Palmer C. Read.

### **Selectmen**

Harold S. Wilder (Term expires 1952)

John F. McNamara, Chairman (Term expires 1953)

Vernon A. Hood, (Term expires 1954)

### **Town Clerk**

Howard W. Zea

### **Deputy Town Clerk**

(Appointed by Selectmen)

Nellie Zea

### **Highway Agent**

(Appointed by Selectmen)

Maurice D. King

### **Tax Collector**

Richard H. Degoosh

### **Supervisors of the Check List**

(Term expires 1953)

Palmer C. Read, Jr

Edwin M. Porter

Wallace Williams

### **Trustees of Trust Funds**

Palmer C. Read (Term expires 1952)

Howard Zea (Term expires 1953)

Ruth Williams (Term Expires 1954)

### **Auditors**

David Benson

Herman D. Rogers



**Treasurer**

John W. Whitney (Deceased)  
Robert W. Gibson (Appointed July 30)

**Constables**

(Appointed by Selectmen)

Adelard Brouillard                      Harold Hoisington  
Frank Sullivan

**Health Officer**

(Appointed by Selectmen)  
Dr. Burton E. Renihan

**Overseer of the Poor**

(Appointed by Selectmen)  
Harold S. Wilder, Sr.

**Library Trustees**

**Plain**

Sylvia Gray  
Marjorie Spalding  
Anita Barrett

**Meriden**

Edith Whitney  
Ethel P. Duncklee  
Winifred Barton

**Finance Committee**

(Appointed by the Moderator)

John Cowles (Chairman)                      Earle W. Colby  
Howard Chellis                      George Northrop  
Otis W. Jordan                      Clarence W. King

**Civil Defense**

(Appointed by Selectmen)

John Cowles (Director)  
Aubrey P. Janion (Deputy Director)

**Dog Constable**

(Appointed by Selectmen)

Adelard Brouillard                      Frank Sullivan

### **Representative to the General Court**

Term expires 1953)

Edwin M. Pierce

### **Fire Department**

(Appointed by Selectmen)

Palmer C. Reed, Jr. (Plainfield) (Tel. 599-W3)

Harold Pringle (Meriden) (Tel. 19-2)

### **Forest Fire Warden**

(Appointed by State Forester)

Palmer C. Read

### **Deputy Forest Fire Wardens**

(Appointed by State Forester)

Ralph Jordan (Tel. Plainfield 41-W2)

Otis W. Jordan (Tel. Plainfield 321-M1)

Palmer C. Read, Jr. (Tel. Plainfield 599-W3)

Herman D. Rogers (Tel. Meriden 2-11)

John Cowles (Tel. Meriden 18)

Edwin M. Porter (Tel. West Lebanon 131-W1)

Wallace Williams (Tel. Meriden 6-5)

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### **NOTICE OF SELECTMEN'S MEETINGS**

The Selectmen will meet at the Town Hall, Meriden, on the second Saturday of each month at 10:00 A.M.

The books and records of the Town are public property, and may be seen at the home of the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, or at the Town Clerk's office, at any reasonable time.

## WARRANT

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Sullivan SS

Town of Plainfield

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Plainfield in the County of Sullivan in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, Meriden, in said Plainfield on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

**Article 1.** To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, a Treasurer, a Tax collector, one Trustee of Trust Funds for three years, two Auditors and any other necessary Town Officers.

**Article 2.** To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of Taxes, to be paid on or before one year's time, pursuant to the N. H. Laws of 1917.

**Article 3.** To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

|                                               |            |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------|
| 1. Town Officers' salaries                    | \$2,000.00 |
| 2. Town Officers' expenses                    | 1,000.00   |
| 3. Election and Registration                  | 700.00     |
| 4. Expenses of Town Halls and other buildings | 400.00     |
| 5. Police Department                          | 100.00     |
| 6. Fire Department                            | 350.00     |
| 7. Blister Rust Control                       | 400.00     |
| 8. Insurance                                  | 800.00     |
| 9. Hospital Fund                              | 200.00     |
| 10. Vital Statistics                          | 25.00      |
| 11. Town Dump maintenance                     | 100.00     |



|     |                                           |          |
|-----|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| 12. | Highways: Summer maintenance              | 7,000.00 |
|     | Winter maintenance                        | 4,500.00 |
|     | General expenses                          | 2,500.00 |
|     | Street lighting                           | 350.00   |
|     | Truck & Plow maintenance                  | 2,000.00 |
|     | Tractor & Shovel maintenance              | 700.00   |
|     | Town Road Aid                             | 989.92   |
|     | (State share \$6,599.49)                  |          |
| 13. | Libraries                                 | 350.00   |
| 14. | Town Poor                                 | 1,200.00 |
| 15. | Old Age Assistance                        | 1,800.00 |
| 16. | Memorial Day expenses                     | 50.00    |
| 17. | Civil Defense                             | 10.00    |
| 18. | Cemeteries                                | 300.00   |
| 19. | Damages & Legal expenses                  | 200.00   |
| 20. | Interest on temporary loans               | 175.00   |
| 21. | Interest on long term note                | 37.50    |
| 22. | Interest on Principal of Trust Funds      | 72.00    |
| 23. | Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association | 40.00    |
| 24. | Payment of long term note                 | 1,500.00 |
|     | (Total as listed \$29,849.42)             |          |

**Article 4.** To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for construction on the Class 2 road known as the Plainfield-Meriden Stage Road, and raise for such purpose the sum of \$2,422.00 and instruct the Selectmen to borrow \$6,000.00—Payable \$2,000.00 yearly beginning in 1953, making the sum of \$8,442.00 available to match State and Federal funds.

**Article 5.** To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,071.00 to buy Power Grader, now rented by the Town.

**Article 6.** To see if the Town will vote to allow a 2% discount on 1952 property taxes paid within 20 days following the day the Tax Warrant is delivered to the Tax Collector.

**Article 7.** To see if the Town will vote to close the following roads, subject to Gates and Bars.

1. Road leading easterly from Mountain road near Fred Dean place, by Irving Woodward place to the Ouillet place on Methodist Hill.

2. Mountain road from Uldrich Dion place to Chase Pond.
3. Road leading from Ralph Macey's to Henry Goodwin place.

**Article 8.** To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and appropriate money therefor.

**Article 9.** To see if the Town will vote to request the State Tax Commission to reappraise the improved lands and buildings of the Town and make an appropriation therefor.

**Article 10.** To see if the Town will vote to adopt a plan for extending to the employees of the town the benefits of title II of the Federal Social Security Act. (Old Age and Survivors Insurance) as authorized by Chapter 234 of the Laws of 1951 and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 to defray the town's share of the cost thereof.

**Article 11.** If the foregoing article is adopted, to see if the town will authorize the selectmen to execute on behalf of the town the necessary agreement with the State of New Hampshire to carry into effect the plan and to see if the town will designate the Town Treasurer as the officer to be responsible for the administration of the plan.

**Article 12.** To see if the town will vote to adopt the Australian Ballot System for the election of Town Officers.

**Article 13.** To see if the Town will vote to elect the Road Agent.

**Article 14.** To see what action the Town will take with regard to the reports of Town Officers.

**Article 15.** To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF PLAINFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952  
Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures  
of the Previous Year January 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951

| SOURCES OF REVENUE                                           | Estimated<br>Revenue | Actual<br>Revenue        | Estimated<br>Revenue    | PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES                             | Actual<br>Expenditures   | Estimated<br>Expenditures |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
|                                                              | Previous<br>Year     | Previous<br>Year<br>1951 | Ensuing<br>Year<br>1951 |                                                      | Previous<br>Year<br>1951 | Ensuing<br>Year<br>1952   |
| <b>From State:</b>                                           |                      |                          |                         | <i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>                 |                          |                           |
| Head Tax listing                                             |                      | 10.68                    | 10.68                   | <b>General Government:</b>                           |                          |                           |
| Interest & Dividends Tax                                     | 7,000.00             | 7,666.45                 | 6,000.00                | Town Officers' Salaries                              | 1,800.00                 | 1,674.00                  |
| Railroad Tax                                                 | 15.00                | 15.27                    | 15.00                   | Town Officers' Expenses                              | 800.00                   | 1,045.84                  |
| Savings Bank Tax                                             | 60.00                | 70.33                    | 60.00                   | Election & Registration Expenses                     | 100.00                   | 43.94                     |
| Class 5 Road Aid                                             | 107.10               | 1,381.30                 | 1,028.50                | Motor Fees to Clerk                                  |                          | 306.50                    |
| Blister Rust refund                                          |                      | 8.00                     |                         | Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.               | 800.00                   | 344.65                    |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood & Timber         | 74.23                | 74.23                    |                         | <b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>           |                          |                           |
| For Fighting Forest Fires                                    | 100.00               | 86.01                    |                         | Police Department                                    | 100.00                   | 82.58                     |
| Bounties                                                     | 17.00                | 15.50                    | 27.75                   | Fire Department                                      | 350.00                   | 123.65                    |
| Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance                         |                      | 251.50                   |                         | Blister Rust                                         | 400.00                   | 400.00                    |
| Road toll refund                                             | 100.00               | 22.22                    | 100.00                  | Insurance                                            | 250.00                   | 779.69                    |
| <b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>                      |                      |                          |                         | <b>Health:</b>                                       |                          |                           |
| Dog Licenses                                                 | 450.00               | 486.00                   | 450.00                  | Health Department, Including Hospitals               | 200.00                   | 69.00                     |
| Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees                   | 10.00                | 8.00                     | 25.00                   | Vital Statistics                                     | 25.00                    | 23.65                     |
| Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings                        | 100.00               | 28.00                    | 25.00                   | Town Dump                                            | 150.00                   | 69.70                     |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits                      | 50.00                | 43.62                    | 50.00                   | <b>Highways and Bridges:</b>                         |                          |                           |
| Income from Trust Funds                                      | 100.00               |                          | 122.02                  | Truck & Plow expenses                                | 2,000.00                 | 2,551.48                  |
| Income of Departments:                                       |                      |                          |                         | Town Maintenance—                                    |                          |                           |
| Highway, including rental of equipment                       |                      | 1,371.30                 | 700.00                  | Summer                                               | 7,000.00                 | 6,600.21                  |
| Refunds on local road improvements                           | 50.00                | 421.08                   | 150.00                  | Winter                                               | 4,000.00                 | 4,657.47                  |
| Refund on Town Poor acc't.                                   |                      | 16.00                    |                         | Street Lighting                                      | 250.00                   | 330.97                    |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees                                    | 2,800.00             | 3,682.86                 | 3,000.00                | General Expenses of Highway Department               | 2,057.72                 | 2,402.39                  |
| Sale of Town Property                                        |                      |                          |                         | Town Road Aid                                        | 990.08                   | 990.08                    |
| Junk from highway dept.                                      | 10.00                | 173.00                   |                         | Tractor & shovel expenses                            | 1,000.00                 | 308.10                    |
| Poll, Property and redeemed taxes previous years             | 1,000.00             | 3,170.19                 | 1,000.00                | <b>Public Welfare:</b>                               |                          |                           |
| <b>Amt. Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</b>               |                      |                          |                         | Libraries                                            | 350.00                   | 315.69                    |
| Anticipation notes                                           | 20,000.00            | 20,000.00                | 20,000.00               | Town Poor                                            | 1,000.00                 | 263.04                    |
| Bank change, transfer                                        |                      | 1,869.19                 |                         | Old Age Assistance                                   | 1,500.00                 | 1,889.77                  |
| Timber tax deposit, transfer                                 |                      | 2,355.71                 |                         | Tax abatements and refunds                           |                          | 661.05                    |
| Timber Yield tax                                             | 1,800.00             | 3,664.69                 | 1,800.00                | Memorial Day                                         | 40.00                    | 51.10                     |
| <b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>           |                      |                          |                         | Bounties                                             |                          | 27.75                     |
| Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2                                     | 786.00               | 807.00                   | 800.00                  | Timber Tax to Collector                              |                          | 2,330.39                  |
| National Bank Stock Taxes                                    | 29.80                | 30.00                    | 29.80                   | Cemeteries                                           | 200.00                   | 208.14                    |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>Unclassified:</b>                                 |                          |                           |
| <b>TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES</b> | <b>34,659.13</b>     | <b>47,728.13</b>         | <b>35,393.75</b>        | Timber Tax refunds                                   |                          | 15.81                     |
| <b>*Amt. To Be Raised by Prop. Taxes</b>                     |                      |                          | <b>66,093.92</b>        | Bank transfer                                        |                          | 1,869.19                  |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | Damages & Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage           | 200.00                   | 166.47                    |
| <b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>                                        |                      |                          | <b>\$101,487.67</b>     | Advertising and Regional Association                 | 40.00                    | 40.00                     |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | Civil Defense                                        | 50.00                    | 8.34                      |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>Interest:</b>                                     |                          |                           |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | On Temporary Loans                                   | 175.00                   | 164.90                    |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | On Taxes bought by Town                              |                          | 10.15                     |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | On Long Term Notes                                   | 100.00                   | 75.00                     |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town             | 36.00                    | 72.00                     |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <i>Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improv.</i> |                          |                           |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>Highways and Bridges:</b>                         |                          |                           |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | Town Construction Class 5 Highway Aid                |                          | 1,381.30                  |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | State Aid Construction—Town's Share                  |                          | 2,442.00                  |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | Trust Funds                                          |                          | 100.00                    |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | Taxes Bought by Town                                 |                          | 943.82                    |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | Power Grader rental                                  |                          | 2,429.00                  |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>Indebtedness:</b>                                 |                          |                           |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>Payment on Principal of Debt:</b>                 |                          |                           |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | (a) Anticipation Notes                               | 20,000.00                | 20,000.00                 |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | (b) Long Term Notes                                  | 1,500.00                 | 1,500.00                  |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>     |                          |                           |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | County Taxes                                         | 5,741.75                 | 5,741.75                  |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | School Taxes                                         | 37,745.91                | 39,223.97                 |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>TOTAL</b>                                         | <b>70,951.46</b>         | <b>102,218.48</b>         |
|                                                              |                      |                          |                         | <b>EXPENDITURES</b>                                  | <b>70,951.46</b>         | <b>101,487.67</b>         |

\* Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."





Given under our hands and seal this twentieth day  
of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred  
and fifty-two.

JOHN F. McNAMARA

HAROLD S. WILDER SR.

VERNON A. HOOD

Selectmen of Plainfield

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN F. McNAMARA

HAROLD S. WILDER SR.

VERNON A. HOOD

Selectmen of Plainfield

**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF THE TOWN  
ON APRIL 1, 1951**

|                                                      | No.   | Value                  |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------|------------------------|
| Land and buildings                                   |       | \$ 1,056,040.00        |
| Electric lines                                       |       | 169,623.00             |
| Horses                                               | 120   | 8,725.00               |
| Bulls                                                | 1     | 200.00                 |
| Cows                                                 | 508   | 71,615.00              |
| Neat Stock                                           | 75    | 8,170.00               |
| Sheep and goats                                      | 210   | 5,295.00               |
| Hogs                                                 | 5     | 125.00                 |
| Fowls                                                | 1,573 | 1,921.00               |
| Portable mills                                       | 5     | 4,600.00               |
| Wood and lumber                                      |       | 34,133.00              |
| Gasoline pumps and tanks                             |       | 1,960.00               |
| Stock in trade                                       |       | 10,930.00              |
| Mills and machinery                                  |       | 7,400.00               |
| Total gross valuation before exemptions              |       | <u>\$ 1,380,737.00</u> |
| Soldiers exemptions and exemptions<br>to blind       |       | 44,110.00              |
| Net assessed valuation on which Tax Rate<br>computed |       | \$ 1,336,627.00        |
| Tax Rate                                             |       | \$ 4.40                |



# SERVICE EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED TO VETERANS, THEIR WIVES OR WIDOWS

|                      |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Barnes, Alton E.     | \$ 1,000.00 |
| Barrett, Ernest E.   | 1,000.00    |
| Bernard, Edward C.   | 1,000.00    |
| Bosley, Laura C.     | 1,000.00    |
| Boyd, Fiske          | 1,000.00    |
| Bragg, Stanley W.    | 1,000.00    |
| Brothillard, Adelard | 1,000.00    |
| Barron, Nelson       | 1,000.00    |
| Cutts, Robert        | 260.00      |
| DeGoosh, Richard     | 1,000.00    |
| Demars, Fred         | 580.00      |
| Estabrook, Albert G. | 1,000.00    |
| Franklin, William F. | 1,000.00    |
| Gray, Robert E.      | 400.00      |
| Hayes, Dorrence E.   | 1,000.00    |
| Hewes, Victor G.     | 1,000.00    |
| Hinckley, Roger      | 1,000.00    |
| Kenyon, George M.    | 1,000.00    |
| King, Maurice D.     | 1,000.00    |
| LaPan, John          | 1,000.00    |
| LeBarron, Everett    | 1,000.00    |
| Leonard, Harvey      | 345.00      |
| Macleay, Donald      | 1,000.00    |
| Macleay, George G.   | 1,000.00    |
| McNamara, William T. | 1,000.00    |
| Meyette, J. Chas     | 1,000.00    |
| Morse, Roy V.        | 1,000.00    |
| Morse, Carlton       | 1,000.00    |
| Mowers, Donald O.    | 1,000.00    |
| Owen, Walter R.      | 1,000.00    |
| Pringle, Lloyd C.    | 1,000.00    |
| Quimby, Frank E.     | 1,000.00    |
| Scruton, Guy S.      | 580.00      |
| Smith, Amelia        | 1,000.00    |
| Stebbins, George E.  | 1,000.00    |
| Stevens, Lloyd J.    | 1,000.00    |
| Sweet, Fred          | 1,000.00    |
| Slayton, Hayden      | 1,000.00    |
| Tobin, Velma A.      | 1,000.00    |
| Townsend, Ira P.     | 1,000.00    |

|                    |          |
|--------------------|----------|
| Walker, James A.   | 1,000.00 |
| Wheeler, Guy       | 1,000.00 |
| Wheeler, Georgiana | 1,000.00 |
| Whitney, John C.   | 1,000.00 |
| Woodward, Ralph    | 1,000.00 |
| Zea, Howard        | 1,000.00 |

#### Exemption Allowed to Blind

|                      |                   |
|----------------------|-------------------|
| Hendrick, Horatio W. | 945.00            |
| Total allowed        | <hr/> \$44,110.00 |

# STATEMENT OF 1951 APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED THEREFORE

## Appropriations:

|                                           |                   |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Town Officers' salaries                   | \$ 1,800.00       |
| Town Officers' expenses                   | 800.00            |
| Election and registration expense         | 100.00            |
| Expenses of Town Hall and other buildings | 800.00            |
| Police Department                         | 100.00            |
| Fire Department, including forest fires   | 350.00            |
| Blister rust                              | 400.00            |
| Workmen's compensation insurance          | 250.00            |
| Hospital fund                             | 200.00            |
| Vital statistics                          | 25.00             |
| Town Dump                                 | 150.00            |
| Highways:                                 |                   |
| Summer                                    | 7,000.00          |
| Winter                                    | 4,000.00          |
| General expenses of Highway Dept.         | 2,057.72          |
| Truck and plow                            | 2,000.00          |
| Tractor and shovel                        | 1,000.00          |
| Street Lights                             | 250.00            |
| Town road aid                             | 990.08            |
| Libraries                                 | 350.00            |
| Town poor                                 | 1,000.00          |
| Old age assistance                        | 1,500.00          |
| Memorial Day                              | 40.00             |
| Civil defense                             | 50.00             |
| Cemeteries                                | 200.00            |
| Damages and legal expenses                | 200.00            |
| Interest on temporary loans               | 175.00            |
| Interest on long term loans               | 100.00            |
| Interest on principal of Trust Fund       | 36.00             |
| Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Ass'n.             | 40.00             |
| Payment on long term notes                | 1,500.00          |
| County tax                                | 5,741.75          |
| School tax                                | 37,746.91         |
| Total appropriations and assessments      | <hr/> \$70,952.46 |



**Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:**

|                                                             |            |             |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Interest and dividend tax                                   | \$7,666.45 |             |
| Railroad tax                                                | 13.13      |             |
| Savings bank tax                                            | 60.00      |             |
| Reinbursement a/c exemption of<br>growing wood and timber   | 1,797.92   |             |
| Motor vehicle permit fees                                   | 2,800.00   |             |
| Dog licenses                                                | 450.00     |             |
| Business licenses, permits and<br>filing fees               | 10.00      |             |
| Rent of town property                                       | 50.00      |             |
| Interest received on taxes                                  | 38.45      |             |
|                                                             |            | <hr/>       |
| Total revenues and credits                                  |            | 12,885.95   |
|                                                             |            | <hr/>       |
|                                                             |            | \$58,066.51 |
| Plus overlay                                                |            | 1,665.07    |
|                                                             |            | <hr/>       |
| Net amount to be raised by taxation                         |            | \$59,731.58 |
| Less: 445 Poll Taxes at \$2.00                              | \$ 890.00  |             |
| National Bank Stock taxes                                   | 30.00      |             |
|                                                             |            | <hr/>       |
|                                                             |            | 920.00      |
|                                                             |            | <hr/>       |
| Amount to be raised by property taxes<br>(Tax Rate: \$4.40) |            | \$58,811.58 |

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| Description                         | Value             |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Town Hall, land and buildings       | \$10,000.00       |
| Furniture and equipment             | 4,000.00          |
| Libraries, land and buildings       | 6,000.00          |
| Furniture and equipment             | 3,000.00          |
| Police Department, equipment        | 25.00             |
| Fire Department, lands and building | 100.00            |
| Equipment                           | 1,600.00          |
| Highway Dept., land and buildings   | 6,400.00          |
| Equipment                           | 14,300.00         |
| Schools, lands and buildings        | 17,000.00         |
| Equipment                           | 9,000.00          |
| Other lands and buildings:          |                   |
| Fellows property                    | 1,000.00          |
| Plummer lot                         | 50.00             |
| Town Dump                           | 350.00            |
| Total                               | <hr/> \$72,825.00 |

## TREASURER'S REPORT

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1951      | \$ 9,155.21 |
| The Peoples National Bank note | 15,000.00   |

Received from Vernon Hood, Tax Collector:

|                       |             |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| 1951 property taxes   | \$ 1,889.97 |
| Interest on same      | 14.31       |
| 1950 poll taxes       | 47.00       |
| 1949 poll taxes       | 10.00       |
| 1950 redeemed taxes   | 28.51       |
| Int. and cost on same | 1.49        |
| 1949 redeemed taxes   | 7.02        |
| Int. and cost on same | 1.89        |
| 1948 redeemed taxes   | 60.74       |
| Int. and cost on same | 9.24        |

Received from Richard DeGoosh, Tax Collector:

|                              |        |
|------------------------------|--------|
| 1951 property taxes          | 243.74 |
| 1951 poll taxes              | 270.00 |
| 1950 property taxes          | 34.96  |
| Interest on same             | .16    |
| 1950 property taxes redeemed | 583.83 |
| Int. and cost on same        | 13.98  |
| 1950 poll taxes              | 28.00  |
| 1949 property taxes redeemed | 17.10  |
| Int. and cost on same        | 1.32   |
| 1948 property taxes          | 3.95   |

Received from Howard Zea, Town Clerk:

|                   |          |
|-------------------|----------|
| 1951 auto permits | 3,148.51 |
| 1951 dog licenses | 200.00   |

Received from Treas. State of New Hampshire:

|                    |          |
|--------------------|----------|
| Forest fire refund | 86.01    |
| Road toll refund   | 22.22    |
| Timber tax refund  | 74.23    |
| Duncan fund        | 1,381.30 |

Miscellaneous Receipts:

|                                    |        |
|------------------------------------|--------|
| Maurice King, sale of junk         | 173.00 |
| Rent Meriden Town Hall P.T.A.      | 2.00   |
| Harry Berwick, rent town equipment | 104.40 |



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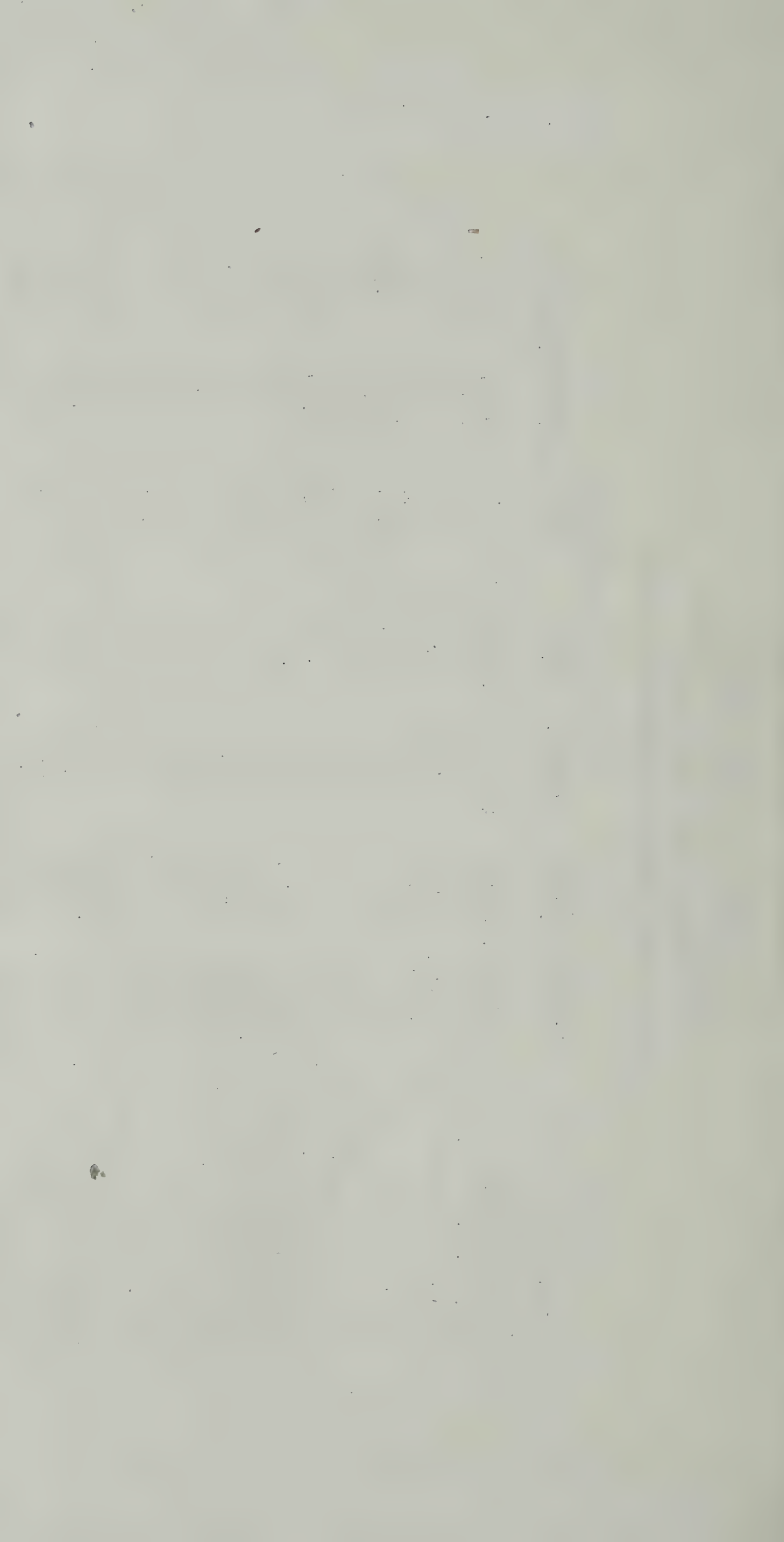
## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

## Trustees of Trust Funds

Statement of Trust Fund Principal,  
Income and Investments

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

| Name of Fund                      | Bank Book Number | Total Amount of Principal | Balance Dec. 31, '51 | Income During 1951 | Income Activity Expended During 1951 | Savings A/c | Dec. 31, '51 | Checking A/c |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>Cemetery Funds:</b>            |                  |                           |                      |                    |                                      |             |              |              |
| Edward C. Daniels                 | 25766            | \$1,000.00                | \$113.84             | \$27.42            | \$                                   | \$ 88.26    | \$53.00      |              |
| Madge Daniels Miller              | 26180            | 1,000.00                  | 116.26               | 27.94              |                                      | 109.20      | 35.00        |              |
| Samuel C. Harrington              | 15356            | 50.00                     | 2.77                 | 1.03               | 2.00                                 | 1.80        |              |              |
| Jason Johnston                    | 85959            | 300.00                    | 14.06                | 9.33               | 6.00                                 | 10.35       | 7.04         |              |
| Alice G. Martin                   | 91711            | 300.00                    | 13.55                | 9.36               | 10.00                                | 11.91       | 1.00         |              |
| A. M. and M. D. Rowell            | 17021            | 100.00                    | 4.88                 | 2.59               | 3.00                                 | 3.47        | 1.00         |              |
| George C. Freeman                 | 6100             | 150.00                    | 32.41                | 3.30               | 9.40                                 | 17.71       | 8.60         |              |
| Frank W. True                     | 26153            | 150.00                    | 24.80                | 4.17               | 3.00                                 | 12.97       | 13.00        |              |
| Ellen Shipman                     | 34113            | 100.00                    | 7.35                 | 2.63               |                                      | 7.98        | 2.00         |              |
| Hattie L. Chellis                 | 23262            | 100.00                    | 4.94                 | 2.52               | 3.00                                 | 1.46        | 3.00         |              |
| Gleason Fund                      | 4140             | 307.63                    | 1.24                 | 6.19               | 5.00                                 | .37         | 2.06         |              |
| Ella M. Richardson                | 155892           | 400.00                    | 11.95                | 11.25              | 10.00                                | 3.70        | 9.50         |              |
| Betty A. Sargent                  | 5548             | 50.00                     | 1.75                 | 1.00               | 1.00                                 | 1.23        | .52          |              |
| Cyrus Smith                       | 16537            | 50.00                     | 2.67                 | 1.25               | 2.00                                 | 1.92        |              |              |
| J. L. and L. S. Stickney          | 85709            | 500.00                    | 18.83                | 15.33              | 12.00                                | 11.34       | 10.82        |              |
| Emma A. Willis                    | 16701            | 200.00                    | 8.32                 | 5.09               | 7.00                                 | 4.39        | 2.02         |              |
| Wilbur Smith                      | 17023            | 100.00                    | 4.05                 | 2.52               | 5.00                                 | 1.48        | .09          |              |
| Mrs. G. W. Clark                  | 12444            | 50.00                     | 4.57                 | 1.29               | 2.00                                 | 2.96        | .90          |              |
| George B. Cole                    | 24115            | 200.00                    | 21.09                | 5.17               | 7.90                                 | 6.27        | 12.09        |              |
| Francis Daniels                   | 24525            | 500.00                    | 46.52                | 12.94              | 14.50                                | 18.36       | 26.60        |              |
| Russell B. French                 | 24844            | 500.00                    | 1.04                 | 15.14              | 2.00                                 | 13.18       | 1.00         |              |
| Mellicent M. Miller               | 94865            | 300.00                    | 126.89               | 12.03              | 44.70                                | 78.92       | 15.30        |              |
| Philena Spencer                   | 140577           | 200.00                    | 20.61                | 5.73               | 7.50                                 | 8.10        | 10.74        |              |
| Mary F. Wood                      | 5821             | 300.00                    | 15.70                | 6.12               | 5.00                                 | 6.10        | 10.72        |              |
| Mary J. Doyle                     | 24116            | 50.00                     | 2.67                 | 1.28               | 1.00                                 | 2.95        |              |              |
| George P. Merton                  | 30384            | 100.00                    | 4.20                 | 2.55               | 1.00                                 | 3.75        | 2.00         |              |
| Moulton Yard Fund                 | 80285            | 833.60                    | 28.97                | 25.44              | 16.90                                | 25.41       | 12.10        |              |
| Dorinda Penniman                  | 197033           | 100.00                    | 5.51                 | 2.90               |                                      | 8.41        |              |              |
| Westgate - Peterson               | 156326           | 150.00                    | 29.18                | 4.58               | 12.00                                | 11.11       | 10.65        |              |
| Esther F. Wright                  | 156328           | 100.00                    | 20.09                | 2.97               | 10.00                                | 3.20        | 9.86         |              |
| George T. Avery                   | 17024            | 100.00                    | 6.95                 | 2.61               | 3.00                                 | 3.96        | 2.60         |              |
| Sophia R. Baker                   | 16538            | 150.00                    | 5.71                 | 3.89               | 3.00                                 | 4.60        | 2.00         |              |
| Chester C. Beckley                | 78855            | 250.00                    | 14.11                | 7.71               | 6.00                                 | 5.51        | 10.31        |              |
| Amos Bugbee                       | 17022            | 50.00                     | 3.49                 | 1.28               | 2.00                                 | 2.72        | .50          |              |
| Frank J. Chadbourne               | 26536            | 100.00                    | 4.54                 | 2.58               | 3.00                                 | 3.12        | 1.00         |              |
| Chamberlain                       | Town Note        | 600.00                    |                      | 36.00              | 36.00                                |             |              |              |
| Chamberlain Fund                  | 22452            | 1,100.00                  | 82.83                | 28.11              | 53.00                                | 38.24       | 19.70        |              |
| Susan E. Clark                    | 28077            | 100.00                    | 4.35                 | 2.55               | 2.00                                 | 2.15        | 2.75         |              |
| Earl W. Colby                     | 127663           | 100.00                    | 4.20                 | 3.09               | 1.00                                 | 4.29        | 2.00         |              |
| Daniel Cole                       | 23462            | 100.00                    | 4.42                 | 2.01               | 2.00                                 | 2.93        | 1.50         |              |
| John M. Cole                      | 32108            | 100.00                    | 4.20                 | 2.58               | 3.00                                 | 1.88        | 1.90         |              |
| Henry C. Daniels                  | 24635            | 50.00                     | 3.75                 | 1.25               |                                      | 1.98        | 3.02         |              |
| Mrs. Fred I. Davidson             | 31761            | 100.00                    | 2.59                 | 2.59               | 2.00                                 | 2.68        | .50          |              |
| E. J. Hollenbeck                  | 32110            | 100.00                    | 4.39                 | 2.58               | 3.00                                 | 2.97        | 1.00         |              |
| F. L. Hudson                      | 93199            | 50.00                     | 3.18                 | 1.56               | 2.50                                 | 2.24        |              |              |
| Lewis Jordan                      | 30699            | 100.00                    | 5.45                 | 2.55               | 2.00                                 | 3.00        | 3.00         |              |
| Rosamond Jordan                   | 31523            | 200.00                    | 9.74                 | 5.10               | 2.00                                 | 5.29        | 7.55         |              |
| Byron E. and Kate R. Lewin        | 34241            | 250.00                    | 10.67                | 6.43               | 4.00                                 | 6.10        | 7.00         |              |
| Avery Morgan                      | 67908            | 50.00                     | 3.96                 | 1.53               | 1.00                                 | 2.99        | 1.50         |              |
| Henry Nash                        | 91712            | 50.00                     | 3.75                 | 1.53               | 1.00                                 | 2.78        | 1.50         |              |
| George E. Reed                    | 18286            | 100.00                    | 3.78                 | 2.05               | 2.00                                 | 2.38        | 1.45         |              |
| Emma J. Rice                      | 22689            | 100.00                    | 5.17                 | 2.55               | 3.50                                 | 2.72        | 1.50         |              |
| Deane Ruggles                     | 33346            | 50.00                     | 1.94                 | 1.28               | 1.00                                 | 2.22        |              |              |
| Mabel E. Short                    | 28057            | 150.00                    | 8.96                 | 3.87               | 3.92                                 | 4.83        | 4.08         |              |
| Junius Spencer                    | 16536            | 300.00                    | 12.14                | 7.73               | 6.00                                 | 5.87        | 8.00         |              |
| Duty Stickney                     | 143246           | 100.00                    | 7.76                 | 2.83               | 3.00                                 | 2.99        | 4.60         |              |
| Frank W. True                     | 26152            | 50.00                     | 3.62                 | 1.26               | 1.00                                 | 2.38        | 1.50         |              |
| Herbert Ward                      | 34506            | 1,000.00                  | 46.80                | 25.51              | 38.25                                | 14.11       | 19.95        |              |
| Daniel C. Westgate                | 31564            | 100.00                    | 3.85                 | 2.59               | 2.00                                 | 2.94        | 1.50         |              |
| Earle Westgate                    | 177792           | 50.00                     | 2.60                 | 1.45               | 1.00                                 | 1.96        | 1.09         |              |
| William E. Westgate               | 153607           | 100.00                    | 5.41                 | 2.85               |                                      | 3.26        | 5.00         |              |
| Charles A. Williams               | 24745            | 200.00                    | .83                  | 6.05               |                                      | 4.88        | 2.00         |              |
| Charles and Lucia Williams        | 21456            | 100.00                    | 6.35                 | 2.58               | 1.00                                 | 2.93        | 5.00         |              |
| H. A. and H. F. Cutting           | 140576           | 300.00                    | 18.71                | 8.62               | 6.15                                 | 10.93       | 10.25        |              |
| Oliver Strowbridge                | 121147           | 100.00                    | 5.22                 | 2.90               | 1.50                                 | 6.12        | .50          |              |
| Herbert Ward-Town Cemeteries      | 34505            | 1,000.00                  | 19.88                | 25.14              | 32.85                                |             | 12.17        |              |
| <b>Libraries:</b>                 |                  |                           |                      |                    |                                      |             |              |              |
| Marion Eastman Fund               | 85958            | 200.00                    |                      | 6.00               | 6.00                                 |             |              |              |
| Edmund S. Read Fund               | 156325           | 3,000.00                  | 37.50                | 82.50              | 75.00                                |             | 45.00        |              |
| Abbie Spaulding Fund              | 14068            | 100.00                    | .01                  | 2.51               | 2.50                                 |             | .02          |              |
| Mary True Fund                    | 61758            | 500.00                    | .01                  | 15.00              | 15.00                                |             | .01          |              |
| <b>Special Funds:</b>             |                  |                           |                      |                    |                                      |             |              |              |
| Elijah W. Burnap<br>(Worthy Poor) | 59660            | 2,750.80                  | 1.80                 | 82.50              | 84.30                                |             |              |              |
| Herbert Ward (Worthy Poor)        | 34502            | 1,500.00                  |                      | 37.72              | 37.72                                |             |              |              |
| Herbert Ward (Essay Prizes)       | 34504            | 1,000.00                  | 23.60                | 25.48              | 20.00                                | 29.08       |              |              |
| Herbert Ward<br>(Christmas Fund)  | 34503            | 1,000.00                  | 18.31                | 25.27              | 30.00                                | 18.58       |              |              |
| Capital Reserve Fund (Road)       | 129820           | 1,540.00                  | 16.04                | 46.68              |                                      | 62.72       |              |              |
| Sale of Material in 1950          |                  |                           | 6.53                 |                    | 6.53                                 |             |              |              |
|                                   |                  | \$27,332.03               | \$1,149.81           | \$771.51           | \$714.62                             | \$753.14    | \$453.56     |              |



|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Stopped payment on check       | 26.54       |
| Checking account transfered    | 1,869.19    |
| Check returned                 | -1.98       |
|                                | <hr/>       |
| Total receipts to Aug. 1, 1951 | \$34,507.84 |
| Less Selectmen orders paid     | 33,606.57   |
|                                | <hr/>       |
| Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1951   | \$ 901.27   |

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. WHITNEY

Per Robert W. Gibson

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|                            |           |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Cash on hand Aug. 1, 1951  | \$ 901.27 |
| Peoples National Bank note | 5,000.00  |

Received from Richard DeGoosh, Tax Collector:

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| 1951 property taxes          | 54,708.33 |
| 1951 poll taxes              | 537.00    |
| 1951 special head tax        | 2,355.00  |
| Head tax penalties           | 7.00      |
| 1950 poll taxes              | 3.00      |
| 1950 property taxes redeemed | 362.45    |
| Int. and cost for same       | 18.78     |
| 1949 property taxes          | 64.11     |
| Int. and cost                | 10.11     |
| Yield tax                    | 3,664.69  |
| Interest on property taxes   | 1.89      |

Received from Howard Zea, Town Clerk:

|                   |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| 1951 auto permits | 505.33 |
| 1951 dog licenses | 286.00 |
| 1950 auto permits | 29.02  |
| Filing fee        | 8.00   |

|                                                  |                    |
|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Received from Treasurer of New Hampshire:        |                    |
| Rental of town property                          | 1,256.88           |
| Bounty on porcupines                             | 15.50              |
| .02 per head on head tax                         | 10.68              |
| Old age refund                                   | 251.50             |
| Interest and dividend tax including              |                    |
| Savings Bank & R. R. Tax                         | 7,752.05           |
| Blister rust refund                              | 8.00               |
| Miscellaneous Receipts:                          |                    |
| Loren Magoon account                             | 16.00              |
| Harold Hoisington, rent of Town Hall             | 26.00              |
| Bryant Fund trustees driveway and road<br>refund | 306.80             |
| Norman Wilder, tarring driveway                  | 28.00              |
| Ruth Northrop, tarring driveway                  | 12.00              |
| Maxfield Parrish, tarring driveway               | 25.00              |
| Creighton Churchill, tarring driveway            | 50.00              |
| Eugene Bissell, dynamite                         | 9.30               |
| Check 1813 returned                              | 5.00               |
| Total receipts to end of year                    | <u>\$80,590.40</u> |
| Less Selectmen orders paid                       | <u>68,616.91</u>   |
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1951                    | <u>\$11,973.49</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. GIBSON,

Treasurer



## SELECTMEN'S FINANCIAL REPORT

### Detailed Statement of Payments

| Town Officers Salaries                         | Appropriated \$1800 |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Creighton Churchill, Selectman to Mar. 13, '51 | \$ 129.00           |
| Harold S. Wilder, Sr. inc. Overseers salary    | 232.00              |
| J. F. McNamara, Selectman                      | 378.00              |
| Vernon A. Hood, Selectman                      | 236.00              |
| David Benson, Auditor                          | 45.00               |
| Herman Rogers, Auditor                         | 45.00               |
| J. W. Whitney, Treasurer                       | 83.30               |
| Robert Gibson, Treasurer                       | 116.70              |
| Richard H. DeGoosh, Tax Collector              | 300.00              |
| Howard Zea, Clerk                              | 55.00               |
| Ruth Williams, Trustee of Trust Funds          | 30.00               |
|                                                | \$1,650.00          |

| Town Officers' Expenses                        | Appropriated \$800 |
|------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Creighton Churchill, Selectman to Mar. 13, '51 | 12.50              |
| Harold S. Wilder Sr.                           | 64.85              |
| J. F. McNamara                                 | 63.22              |
| Vernon A. Hood                                 | 74.00              |
| Robert Gibson, Treas. expenses                 | 18.48              |
| Richard H. DeGoosh, Collectors expenses        | 64.25              |
| Howard Zea, Clerk expenses & supplies          | 30.42              |
| Tax Collectors Association, Dues               | 3.00               |
| N. H. Assessors Association, Dues              | 2.00               |
| State of New Hampshire, set of Revised Laws    | 10.00              |
| Edson C. Eastman, supplies                     | 62.06              |
| Sargent Bros., printing                        | 23.85              |
| U. S. Stationery Co., filing cabinet           | 53.15              |
| Meriden P. T. A., Dinners                      | 12.50              |
| Plainfield P. T. A., Dinners                   | 21.60              |
| Cory-Hewitt Press, printing Town Reports       | 430.00             |
| Barkers Print Shop                             | 10.50              |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies                    | 36.00              |
| S. F. Plummer, supplies                        | .95                |
| Bonnie Vale Press, stationery                  | 9.00               |
| Wallace Williams, Supervisors expenses         | 2.50               |
| Meriden Telephone Co.                          | 23.60              |
| M. D. King, expenses                           | 17.41              |

|       |            |
|-------|------------|
| Total | \$1,045.84 |
|-------|------------|

| <b>Election &amp; Registration</b> | <b>Appropriated \$100</b> |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Creighton Churchill, Selectman     | 6.00                      |
| Harold S. Wilder Sr., Selectman    | 6.00                      |
| J. F. McNamara, Selectman          | 6.00                      |
| Hazel Owen, Ballot Clerk           | 6.00                      |
| Howard Zea, Clerk                  | 6.00                      |
| Howard Chellis                     | 6.00                      |
| Edson Eastman                      | 2.69                      |
| Barker Print Shop                  | 5.25                      |
|                                    | <hr/>                     |
|                                    | 43.94                     |

| <b>Town Hall &amp; Other Buildings</b>              | <b>Appropriated \$800</b> |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Meriden Electric Light & Power Co.                  | 19.32                     |
| Francis Atwood, wood, Plainfield Town Hall          | 40.00                     |
| Conn. Valley Electric Co.                           | 37.82                     |
| Perley Coutemmarsh, wood Plainfield Town Hall       | 11.00                     |
| S. F. Plummer                                       | 11.59                     |
| Oliver Castonguay                                   | 5.10                      |
| Alice Fellow, Chimney Repair                        | 9.00                      |
| Frank Sullivan, work on Fellow property             | 10.20                     |
| I. S. Mann Co., lumber                              | 30.33                     |
| E. E. Beers, general repairs                        | 54.40                     |
| Leon Hackett, work on Fellow property               | 10.00                     |
| MacLeay's General Store                             | 2.16                      |
| J. F. McNamara, gen. repairs Meriden Town Hall      | 11.70                     |
| Harold Hoisington, janitor of Plainfield            | 61.00                     |
| New Hampshire Electric Coop.,<br>lights town garage | 31.03                     |
|                                                     | <hr/>                     |
|                                                     | 344.65                    |
| Credit Rental Fee                                   | 28.00                     |
|                                                     | <hr/>                     |
| Total                                               | \$ 316.65                 |

| <b>Police Department</b>                       | <b>Appropriated \$100</b> |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Adelard Brouillard, duties & exp. as Constable | 20.70                     |
| Village of Windsor, Payette case               | 23.00                     |
| Allan Walker                   "       "       | 5.00                      |
| Robert Bayliss               "       "         | 3.00                      |
| Hans Nicolaisen             "       "          | 5.00                      |

|                           |   |   |          |
|---------------------------|---|---|----------|
| Quinton Ward              | " | " | 5.00     |
| Howard Wilder             | " | " | 5.00     |
| Frank Sullivan, Constable |   |   | 15.88    |
|                           |   |   | <hr/>    |
|                           |   |   | \$ 82.58 |

### Fire Department

### Appropriated \$350

|                                   |           |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Lebanon Fire Dept., D. Hayes fire | 38.00     |
| Oliver Castonguay, dump fire      | 22.95     |
| S. F. Plummer, supplies           | 3.35      |
| M. F. Camp, dump fire             | 13.60     |
| H. D. Roger, dump fire            | 8.50      |
| P. C. Reed, Jr., dump fire        | 8.00      |
| S. F. Plummer, dump fire          | 4.00      |
| John Morse, dump fire             | 2.00      |
| Richard Plummer, dump fire        | 2.00      |
| Frank Chapman, dump fire          | 5.95      |
| L. W. Dodge, dump fire            | 11.05     |
| Wallace Williams, dump fire       | 2.55      |
| Harold Pringle, dump fire         | 1.70      |
|                                   | <hr/>     |
|                                   | \$ 123.65 |
| Refund from State                 | 86.01     |
|                                   | <hr/>     |
| Total                             | \$ 37.64  |

### Blister Rust

### Appropriated \$400

|                                       |           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| William Messeck, State Forestry Dept. | 400.00    |
| Refund from State                     | 8.00      |
|                                       | <hr/>     |
| Total                                 | \$ 392.00 |

### Ecunties

### No Appropriation

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Selectmen, paid for bounties | \$ 27.75 |
|------------------------------|----------|

### Damage By Dogs

### No Appropriation

|                                                    |          |
|----------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Howard Zea, Town Clerk's fee                       | 39.80    |
| Adelard Brouillard, Dog Constable                  | 6.30     |
| Everett Batchelder, dog damage to horse, town half | 8.27     |
|                                                    | <hr/>    |
| Total                                              | \$ 54.37 |

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|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Health Department</b> | <b>Appropriated \$150</b> |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|

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|-------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| New England Explosives                    | 51.88           |
| J. F. McNamara, steel posts for town dump | 17.82           |
| <b>Total</b>                              | <b>\$ 69.70</b> |

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|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Vital Statistics</b> | <b>Appropriated \$25</b> |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|

|                                        |          |
|----------------------------------------|----------|
| Howard Zea, compiling vital statistics | \$ 23.65 |
|----------------------------------------|----------|

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|------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Hospitals</b> | <b>Appropriated \$200</b> |
|------------------|---------------------------|

|                         |                 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Alice Peck Day Hospital | 50.00           |
| Windsor Hospital Inc.   | 19.00           |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>\$ 69.00</b> |

|                  |                           |
|------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Libraries</b> | <b>Appropriated \$350</b> |
|------------------|---------------------------|

|                                             |                  |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------|
| L. A. Smith, repairs                        | 12.49            |
| Edith M. Whitney, salary & janitor expenses | 127.50           |
| Edith M. Whitney, Library appropriation     | 24.60            |
| Marjory Spaulding, Library appropriation    | 24.60            |
| Sylvia Gray, salary                         | 31.50            |
| Eunice Waite, salary                        | 90.00            |
| Harold Hoisington, janitor                  | 5.00             |
| <b>Total</b>                                | <b>\$ 315.69</b> |

|                  |                            |
|------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Town Poor</b> | <b>Appropriated \$1000</b> |
|------------------|----------------------------|

|                                                             |                  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| MacLeays General Store, William Vidian case                 | 30.00            |
| Soldiers Aid, Arthur Dubuque                                | 10.90            |
| McCusker Funeral Home, Benjamin Ainsworth, funeral expenses | 150.00           |
| J. E. Faltin Motor Trans. Co.                               | .90              |
| State of New Hampshire for surplus commodities              | 1.80             |
| Sullivan County Home, for Rachel Lombard                    | 52.44            |
| Bashaws Market, Soldiers Aid                                | 17.00            |
|                                                             | <b>\$ 263.04</b> |
| Credit Loren Magoon Est.                                    | 16.00            |
| <b>Total</b>                                                | <b>\$ 247.04</b> |



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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Old Age Assistance</b> | <b>Appropriated \$1500</b> |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|

|                                     |            |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| State of New Hampshire for O. A. A. | 1,889.77   |
| Credit from State of New Hampshire  | 251.50     |
|                                     | <hr/>      |
| Total                               | \$1,638.27 |

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|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region</b> | <b>Appropriated \$40</b> |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|

\$ 40.00

|                              |                          |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Memorial Day Expenses</b> | <b>Appropriated \$40</b> |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|

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|------------------|----------|
| Windsor News Co. | \$ 51.10 |
|------------------|----------|

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|----------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Civil Defense</b> | <b>Appropriated \$50</b> |
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|                                |         |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| John Cowles, directors expense | \$ 8.34 |
|--------------------------------|---------|

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|-------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Cemeteries</b> | <b>Appropriated \$200</b> |
|-------------------|---------------------------|

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|---------------------------------------------|-------|
| Farmers Grain & Feed Co., fertilizer & seed | 9.14  |
| Carl Lombard, labor                         | 82.25 |
| Frank Sullivan, labor                       | 89.55 |
| Ralph Sullivan, labor                       | 27.20 |
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|-------|-----------|
| Total | \$ 208.14 |
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|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Damages &amp; Legal Expenses</b> | <b>Appropriated \$200</b> |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|

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|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Vernon A. Hood, sale expenses                               | 49.30 |
| Clinton K. Barton Est., registrar,<br>transfers & mortgages | 11.91 |
| Tony Russell, registrar, transfers<br>& mortgages           | 25.43 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, legal forms                              | 2.06  |
| William E. Nolin, Attorney                                  | 22.50 |
| Bernice M. S. MacWilliams, probate<br>estate listings       | .90   |
|                                                             | <hr/> |

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|-------|-----------|
| Total | \$ 112.10 |
|-------|-----------|

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Taxes Bought By Town</b> | <b>No Appropriation</b> |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|

|                                    |           |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Vernon A. Hood, Collector Tax Sale | \$ 943.82 |
|------------------------------------|-----------|

**Rebates & Refunds****No Appropriation**

|                                                         |                 |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Oakes H. Ellis, rebate of 1950 property taxes           | 5.62            |
| C. W. King, refund on 1951 assessment                   | 90.55           |
| Kimball Union Academy, refund in 1951 assessment        | 86.24           |
| State of New Hampshire,<br>refund on Timber Tax Account | 478.59          |
| Total                                                   | <hr/> \$ 661.00 |

**Interest****Appropriated \$311**

|                                                         |                 |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Vernon A. Hood, interest in tax sale                    | 10.15           |
| Peoples National Bank, interest on<br>notes, long terms | 75.00           |
| Claremont National Bank, on anticipation notes          | 164.90          |
| Total                                                   | <hr/> \$ 250.05 |

**Insurance****Appropriated \$250**

|                                          |                 |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Susie Jordan, Agent Fire Insurance       |                 |
| Plainfield Tool Shed                     | 6.00            |
| Treasurer Bond                           | 37.50           |
| Tax Collectors Bonds                     | 50.00           |
| (3) Trustees of Trust Funds Bonds        | 15.00           |
| Plainfield Town Hall, Fire               | 158.12          |
| Read Memorial Library                    | 44.27           |
| J. F. McNamara, fire insurance town shed | 60.00           |
| Workmen Compensation Ins.                | 260.77          |
| Tractor & Shovel Liability               | 28.39           |
| Grader, Liability and Fire               | 60.40           |
| F. W. D. Truck, Liability and Fire       | 43.74           |
| Insurance on Fellow Place                | 13.50           |
| Total                                    | <hr/> \$ 777.69 |

**Timber Tax Deposit Fund****No Appropriation**

|                                                        |                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Richard DeGoosh, Collector,<br>withdrawal from deposit | 2,330.39         |
| Nathan Mace, refund                                    | .70              |
| Robert Gibson, refund                                  | .45              |
| Maurice Camp, refund                                   | 2.40             |
| Richard DeGoosh, refund                                | .60              |
| Percy Martin, refund                                   | 11.66            |
| Total                                                  | <hr/> \$2,346.20 |

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

### Summer and Winter Maintenance

|                                         |                    |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Appropriation</b>                    | <b>\$11,000.00</b> |
| <b>Class 5, State Aid</b>               | <b>1,381.30</b>    |
| <hr/>                                   |                    |
| <b>Total</b>                            | <b>\$12,381.30</b> |
|                                         |                    |
| Maurice D. King, labor                  | \$ 2,507.75        |
| Maurice D. King, truck                  | 1,239.40           |
| Maurice D. King, use of car             | 8.02               |
| Maurice D. King, telephone              | 8.71               |
| Maurice D. King, miscellaneous expenses | 6.75               |
| Herbert P. King, labor                  | 2,267.90           |
| Herbert P. King, tractor                | 374.00             |
| Francis Atwood, tractor                 | 6.00               |
| William Jenney, truck                   | 273.30             |
| William Jenney, gravel                  | 12.40              |
| Frank Sullivan, truck                   | 212.85             |
| John Sullivan, truck                    | 5.00               |
| Stella Hussey, gravel                   | 210.70             |
| Robert Bayliss, truck                   | 26.40              |
| Clayton Bonner, labor                   | 384.58             |
| Albert Barker, labor                    | 25.65              |
| David Benson, labor                     | 14.40              |
| Frank Chapman, labor                    | 54.43              |
| Arnold Chapman, labor                   | 4.50               |
| Robert Cutts, labor                     | 7.20               |
| Nelson Green, labor                     | 61.20              |
| Leon Hackett, labor                     | 67.20              |
| Philip Huston, labor                    | 10.80              |
| Walter King, labor                      | 7.20               |
| Arthur LaClair, labor                   | 27.00              |
| Harold Pringle, labor                   | 6.80               |
| Robert Pringle, labor                   | 8.10               |
| Randolph Perkins, labor                 | 96.75              |
| Albert K. Read, labor                   | 6.30               |
| Herman D. Rogers, labor                 | 14.40              |
| Richard Sullivan, labor                 | 28.70              |
| Ernest Towne, labor                     | 1,637.37           |
| Ralph Woodward, labor                   | 124.33             |
| Clement Boisvert, labor                 | 1.70               |
| John H. McNamara, labor                 | 1.70               |
| Francis Atwood, labor                   | 19.50              |

|                                                |        |
|------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Mrs. Earl Treverthick, labor                   | 9.50   |
| R. E. Fleming, labor                           | 29.00  |
| Meriden Garage, miscellaneous                  | 233.85 |
| Blaktop, Inc., cold patch material             | 96.76  |
| The Chemical Corp., chloride                   | 767.95 |
| Edw. C. J. Descoteau, labor                    | 21.60  |
| Gulf Oil Corp., fuel                           | 130.92 |
| Scott Machinery Inc., grader tire & etc.       | 203.28 |
| Farmers Feed & Supply Co., cement              | 12.00  |
| Kenneth Whitcher, plank                        | 175.20 |
| George Kibbie, gravel                          | 166.40 |
| Hulbert Tractor & Equip. Corp., grader repairs | 35.86  |
| MacLeay's Gen. Store, supplies                 | 21.44  |
| N. P. Clough Co., labor on Goodwin Road        | 84.25  |
| American Tar Co., road tar                     | 561.09 |
| Noble-Belisle Machinery, Inc., grader blades   | 29.76  |
| Clarks Gulf Station, fuel                      | 5.76   |
| H. J. Sivigny, labor on Mt. road               | 66.50  |
| Mosley's Motor Express, freight                | 1.59   |
| S. F. Plummer, supplies                        | 7.18   |
| Fred Demars, labor                             | 6.38   |
| J. F. McNamara, labor on grader                | 3.15   |
| H. S. Wilder Sr., labor                        | 12.00  |
| Hathorn's Inc., sander repairs                 | 16.45  |
| International Salt Co., salt                   | 306.72 |
| Lloyd Stevens, gravel                          | 24.20  |

|                                                |             |
|------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total                                          | \$12,797.78 |
| Less: Taxes withheld not paid to Revenue Dept. | 158.80      |

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\$12,638.98

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|-------------------------|----------|
| Credits — Refund,       |          |
| Local Road Improvements | \$421.08 |
| Junk from Highway Dept. | 173.00   |
|                         | <hr/>    |
|                         | 594.08   |

|                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Net Maintenance incl. Class 5 Aid | \$12,044.90 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|

### Grader Rental

### No Appropriation

|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Scott Machinery Inc., rent | \$ 2,429.00 |
| Credits earned by grader   | 1,284.90    |
|                            | <hr/>       |
| Net grader rental          | \$1,144.10  |



**Truck & Plow Maintenance                      Appropriation \$2000**

|                                       |        |            |
|---------------------------------------|--------|------------|
| Scott Machinery Inc., parts & repairs | 509.75 |            |
| Meriden Garage, parts & repairs       | 852.80 |            |
| Noble-Belisle, parts & repairs        | 7.00   |            |
| J. F. McNamara                        | 1.39   |            |
|                                       |        |            |
| Total                                 |        | \$1,370.94 |
| S. F. Plummer, gas & oil              | 173.76 |            |
| Meriden Garage, gas & oil             | 858.69 |            |
| Clarks Gulf Station, gas & oil        | 102.95 |            |
| I. M. Spaulding, gas & oil            | 40.58  |            |
| MacLeay's General Store, gas & oil    | 4.56   |            |
|                                       |        |            |
| Total                                 |        | \$1,180.54 |

**Tractor & Shovel Maintenance                      Appropriated \$1000**

|                       |        |           |
|-----------------------|--------|-----------|
| Noble-Belisle, parts  | 38.71  |           |
| Hathorns Inc., parts  | 2.25   |           |
| J. F. McNamara, parts | 9.72   |           |
| Miller Auto Company   | 83.55  |           |
| Meriden Garage        | 12.22  |           |
|                       |        | 146.45    |
| Tractor Fuel & Oil    |        |           |
| Gulf Oil Co.          | 159.68 |           |
| Meriden Garage        | 1.97   |           |
|                       |        | 161.65    |
|                       |        |           |
| Total                 |        | \$ 308.10 |

**General Expenses of the Highway Department  
Appropriated \$2000**

|                                        |        |
|----------------------------------------|--------|
| M. T. White, bridge plank              | 246.90 |
| T. S. Mann Lumber Co., lumber          | 19.35  |
| Perley Coutermarsh, bridge plank       | 102.00 |
| Lewis Bros., supplies                  | 20.95  |
| State of New Hampshire                 | 21.00  |
| Carol F. Snelling, sawing bridge plank | 27.77  |
| Edson C. Eastman Inc., supplies        | 9.29   |
| MacLeay's General Store, supplies      | 19.51  |
| Kenneth T. Witcher, bridge plank       | 410.93 |
| Miller Auto Co., oil & anti-freeze     | 15.10  |
| Twin State Sand & Gravel               | 9.11   |
| Stella Hussey, sand & gravel           | 62.20  |

|                                                 |        |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Vermont Hardware Co., welding gas               | 29.70  |
| Noble-Belisle, welding rods                     | 50.08  |
| Peoples National Bank, balance road agent acct. | 64.19  |
| Scott Machinery Co., grader blades              | 22.92  |
| New England Culvert                             | 966.28 |
| Town of Lebanon, Dynamite                       | 27.75  |
| Hathorns Inc., supplies                         | 29.40  |
| Davis & Simonds, bridge plank                   | 80.00  |
| A. C. Thornton, roofing paper                   | 2.45   |
| H. J. Sivigny, bridge plank                     | 153.90 |
| Meriden Garage, miscellaneous                   | 11.61  |

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|-------|------------|
| Total | \$2,402.39 |
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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Temporary Loans</b> | <b>No Appropriation</b> |
|------------------------|-------------------------|

|                                             |             |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Claremont National Bank, anticipation notes | \$20,000.00 |
|---------------------------------------------|-------------|

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|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Long Term Notes (Truck)</b> | <b>Appropriated \$1500</b> |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|

|                       |             |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| Peoples National Bank | \$ 1,500.00 |
|-----------------------|-------------|

**Sullivan County Tax**

|                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| County Assessment | \$ 5,741.75 |
|-------------------|-------------|

|                          |             |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Transfer of Bank Account |             |
| Peoples National Bank to |             |
| Claremont National Bank  | \$ 1,869.19 |

**Plainfield School District**

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| District Assessment | \$39,223.97 |
|---------------------|-------------|

|                                  |                         |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Motor Permit Fee to Clerk</b> | <b>No Appropriation</b> |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|

|            |           |
|------------|-----------|
| Howard Zea | \$ 306.50 |
|------------|-----------|

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Worthy Poor Fund</b> | <b>No Appropriation</b> |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|

|           |       |
|-----------|-------|
| Ward Fund | 50.00 |
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|-------------|-------|
| Burnap Fund | 50.00 |
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|-------|-----------|
| Total | \$ 100.00 |
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|------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Street Lighting</b> | <b>Appropriated \$250</b> |
|------------------------|---------------------------|

|                                           |       |
|-------------------------------------------|-------|
| Granite State Electric Co., E. Plainfield | 78.00 |
|-------------------------------------------|-------|

|                                         |        |
|-----------------------------------------|--------|
| Meriden Electric Light & Power, Meriden | 166.51 |
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|---------------------------------------------|-------|
| Connecticut Valley Electric Co., Plainfield | 86.46 |
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| Total | \$ 330.97 |
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# STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

## Highway Department

### 1951 TOWN ROAD AID ACCOUNT

|                              |            |             |
|------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Appropriation—State and Town |            | \$ 8,276.73 |
| Drainage                     | \$2,639.28 |             |
| Grading                      | 767.62     |             |
| Gravel                       | 3,386.33   |             |
| Guard Rail                   | 103.31     |             |
| Surface Treatment — Tar      | 1,379.54   |             |
|                              | <hr/>      |             |
| Total Expenditures           |            | \$8,276.08  |
|                              |            | <hr/>       |
| Balance                      |            | 0.65        |

#### Detail:

|                                    |            |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Supervision (Foreman only)         | 210.52     |
| State Equipment                    | 432.14     |
| Hired Equipment (Including trucks) | 3,512.48   |
| Labor                              | 1,363.06   |
| Bills:                             |            |
| Gravel, 4827 cu. yds.              | 482.70     |
| Culverts, 454 lin. ft.             | 1,209.27   |
| Tar, 5099 gals.                    | 879.48     |
| Sand, 466½ cu. yds.                | 46.65      |
| Misc. — Cements, Posts, etc.       | 139.78     |
|                                    | <hr/>      |
| Total                              | \$8,276.08 |

All supervision from the Division Office is not a charge against the account.

Very truly yours,

FARWELL A. BROWN,

Division Engineer

### CLARA FREEMAN CEMETERY FUND

|                                        |          |
|----------------------------------------|----------|
| Amount of principal                    | \$159.25 |
| Rate of interest                       | .021½    |
| Balance of income at beginning of year | 117.03   |
| Interest for the year                  | 6.85     |
| Expended during the year               | 7.00     |
| Balance of income at end of year       | 116.88   |

Respectfully submitted,

BLANCH A L. DANIELS

Trustee

### ELIJAH BURNAP FUND

(For Worthy Poor)

|                               |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Amount of Principal           | \$2,750.80 |
| Rate of Interest              | .021½      |
| Ealance on Hand Jan. 1, 1951  | 72.30      |
| Expended during 1951          | 50.00      |
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1951 | \$ 22.30   |

### HERBERT WARD FUND

(For Worthy Poor)

|                               |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Amount of Principal           | \$1,500.00 |
| Rate of Interest              | .02        |
| Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1951  | 74.31      |
| Expended during 1951          | 50.00      |
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1951 | \$ 24.31   |



**MARY HITCHCOCK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**  
**Hanover, New Hampshire**

February 22, 1952

Mr. Harold Wilder,  
Overseer of Poor  
Plainfield, New Hampshire  
My dear Mr. Wilder:

During the year January 1, 1951 through December 31, 1951 the Plainfield Free Bed Fund in the Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, Hanover, New Hampshire rendered 36 days' service to 5 residents of the Town of Plainfield, New Hampshire.

The portion of Free Bed Funds allotted by the Trustees was \$400.00.

The charges at the minimum hospital rates for service rendered to these patients during the period amounted to \$547.08. Subtracting the allotment of \$400.00 from this figure, there is an overuse of \$147.08 at the end of the year 1951.

We are attaching the usual summary hereto, showing the various charges to this Fund.

Please accept my personal, as well as official, thanks for the manner in which this Fund was handled during the past year.

Yours very truly,  
W. L. WILSON  
Administrator

**Summary**

**Allotment:**

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| January 1, 1951                 | \$100.00 |
| July 1, 1951                    | 100.00   |
| April 1, 1951                   | 100.00   |
| October 1, 1951                 | 100.00   |
| <hr/>                           |          |
| Total                           | \$400.00 |
| Less Service Rendered           | 547.08   |
| <hr/>                           |          |
| Overuse as of December 31, 1951 | \$147.08 |

# WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL

## Financial Statement

### Town of Plainfield

1951

|                                       |          |           |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Town funds expended                   |          | \$392.00  |
| State, Federal & Private              |          |           |
| Eradication                           | \$100.00 |           |
| Mapping                               | 143.46   |           |
|                                       | <hr/>    |           |
| Total                                 |          | \$243.46  |
|                                       |          | <hr/>     |
| Total expended                        |          | \$635.46  |
| Received from town                    | 400.00   |           |
| Expended from town funds              | 392.00   |           |
|                                       | <hr/>    |           |
| Balance due town                      |          | \$ 8.00   |
| Area covered                          |          | 560 acres |
| Current & gooseberry bushes destroyed |          | 6,792     |

## **DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING**

### **STATE TAX COMMISSION**

**Concord, New Hampshire**

February 21, 1952

Board of Selectmen  
Plainfield, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an audit and examination of the accounts of the Town of Plainfield for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1951, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Town. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

#### **Scope of Audit**

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Philip Read Memorial Library, Meriden Library and the Trustees of Trust Funds.

#### **Financial Statements**

**Comparative Balance Sheets: Dec. 31, 1950 - Dec. 31, 1951: (Exhibit A)**

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1950 and December 31, 1951, are presented in Exhibit A. As indicated therein the Net Debt decreased by \$3,264.57 in 1951.

**Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit B)**

An analysis of the change in financial condition during the year is made in Exhibit B, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

### **Decreases in Net Debt**

|                                                                                             |            |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Net Budget Surplus                                                                          | \$3,769.60 |
| Long Term Notes Paid                                                                        | 1,500.00   |
| Excess Credit a/c Taxes Sold to<br>Others and Included in Amount<br>of Taxes bought by Town | 84.11      |

**\$5,353.71**

### **Increases in Net Debt**

|                                                             |            |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| Reserve Established to Cover<br>Future Loss a/c Yield Taxes | \$2,076.53 |
| Decrease in Accounts Receivable                             | 7.70       |
| Increase in Accounts Payable                                | 4.91       |

**\$2,089.14**

### **Net Decrease**

**\$3,264.57**

### **Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits C & D)**

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1951, are presented in Exhibits C and D. As indicated by the budget summary, (Exhibit D) a net revenue surplus of \$3,877.32, less a net overdraft of appropriations of \$107.72, resulted in a Net budget surplus of \$3,769.60.

### **Summary of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit E)**

A summary of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1951, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit E. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1951, is indicated in Exhibit F.

### **Audit Procedure**

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified.

Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks. Verification of uncollected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records.

### **General Comments**

#### **Current Deficit:**

It is noted that the Current Deficit, (Excess of Current Liabilities over Total Assets) was decreased during 1951 from \$4,936.61 to \$3,172.04, as shown herewith:

|                     | Dec. 31, 1950 | Dec. 31, 1951 |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Current Liabilities | \$17,910.58   | \$21,499.57   |
| Total Assets        | 12,973.97     | 18,327.53     |
| Current Deficit     | \$4,936.61    | \$3,172.04    |

Current Liabilities include all liability items in the Balance Sheet with the exception of long term indebtedness, and the total assets of the town should be sufficient in amount at all times to offset the current liabilities. When the current liabilities exceed the total assets, as was the case in Plainfield in the years 1950 and 1951 as indicated in the above statement, a current deficit exists.

#### **Conclusion:**

The accounts of the town officials which we examined were found in good condition and the accounting and financial procedure conformed to prescribed methods and procedure.

The provisions of Section 31, Chapter 211, of the Laws of 1939, require that this report or a summary of its essential features shall be published in the next annual Town report.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Plainfield for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER

Director

Division of Municipal Accounting  
State Tax Commission

Alan R. Matthews, Auditor  
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant



**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING**

**STATE TAX COMMISSION**

**Concord, New Hampshire**

February 21, 1952

**Certificate of Audit**

This is to certify that we have audited the accounts and records of the Town of Plainfield for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1951, and found them to be in good order. In our opinion the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town of Plainfield as of December 31, 1951 and the results of operations for the period under review.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER  
Director

Division of Municipal Accounting  
State Tax Commission

Alan R. Matthews, Auditor  
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

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# EXHIBIT A

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

Comparative Balance Sheets  
Fiscal Years Ended December 31, 1950  
and December 31, 1951

|                                                      | December 31, 1950<br>(Revised) | December 31, 1951 |
|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>                                        |                                |                   |
| Cash—Treasurer's General Fund                        | \$9,155.21                     | \$11,975.47       |
| Special Yield Tax Security Deposits (Contra)         |                                | 314.89            |
| Capital Reserve Fund (Contra)                        | 1,540.00                       | 1,602.72          |
| <b>Due from State of New Hampshire:</b>              |                                |                   |
| Bounties                                             | 17.00                          | 29.25             |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood & Timber | 74.23                          |                   |
| Other Accounts Due Town                              | 7.70                           |                   |
| Unredeemed Taxes                                     | 116.45                         | 80.88             |
| Uncollected Taxes                                    | 2,063.38                       | 3,979.32          |
| Uncollected State Head Taxes (Contra)                |                                | 345.00            |
| Total Assets                                         | \$12,973.97                    | \$18,327.53       |
| Net Debt                                             | - 8,536.51                     | 5,272.04          |
| Total Assets and Net Debt                            | \$21,510.58                    | \$23,599.57       |

### Accounts Owed by Town:

### Accounts Owed by Town:

## Due State of New Hampshire:

Total Liabilities

|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| \$21,510.58 | \$23,599.57 |
|-------------|-------------|

## EXHIBIT B

### TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

#### Reconciliation of Change in Financial Condition

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

|                            |            |            |
|----------------------------|------------|------------|
| Net Debt—December 31, 1950 | \$8,536.61 |            |
| Net Debt—December 31, 1951 | 5,272.04   |            |
|                            | <hr/>      |            |
| Decrease in Net Debt       |            | \$3,264.57 |

#### Factors Affecting Decrease in Debt:

|                           |            |            |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|
| Net Budget Surplus        |            |            |
| (Exhibit D)               | \$3,769.60 |            |
| Long Term Notes Paid      | 1,500.00   |            |
| Excess Credit a/c Taxes   |            |            |
| Sold to Others and in-    |            |            |
| cluded in amount of Taxes |            |            |
| bought by Town            | 84.11      |            |
|                           | <hr/>      |            |
|                           |            | \$5,353.71 |

#### Factors Affecting Increase in Debt:

|                              |            |            |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Reserve Established to cover |            |            |
| Future Loss a/c Yield        |            |            |
| Taxes                        | \$2,076.53 |            |
| Accounts Receivable          |            |            |
| Decrease                     | 7.70       |            |
| Accounts Payable Increase    | 4.91       |            |
|                              | <hr/>      |            |
|                              |            | 2,089.14   |
|                              |            | <hr/>      |
| Net Decrease                 |            | \$3,264.57 |



# EXHIBIT C

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

### Comparative Statement Of Appropriations and Expenditures Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

| TITLE OF ACCOUNT                                           | Liabilities<br>Forwarded<br>From 1950 | Appropriation<br>1951 | Receipts<br>and Reim-<br>bursements | Total<br>Amount<br>Available | Expenditures<br>1951 | Balances   |           | Liabilities<br>Forwarded<br>To 1952 |
|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|
|                                                            |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      | Unexpended | Overdrawn |                                     |
| Town Officers' Salaries and<br>Clerk's Auto Permit Fees \$ | \$                                    | 1,800.00              | \$                                  | 1,800.00                     | \$                   | 1,980.50   | \$        | 180.50                              |
| Town Officers' Expenses                                    |                                       | 800.00                | 10.68                               | 810.68                       | 1,045.84             |            |           | 235.16                              |
| Election and Registration                                  |                                       | 100.00                |                                     | 100.00                       | 43.94                | 56.06      |           |                                     |
| Town Hall and Buildings                                    |                                       | 800.00                |                                     | 800.00                       | 344.65               | 455.35     |           |                                     |
| Police Department                                          |                                       | 100.00                |                                     | 100.00                       | 82.58                | 17.42      |           |                                     |
| Fire Department & Forest Fires                             |                                       | 350.00                | 86.01                               | 436.01                       | 123.65               | 312.36     |           |                                     |
| Blister Rust Control                                       |                                       | 400.00                | 8.00                                | 408.00                       | 400.00               | 8.00       |           |                                     |
| Insurance                                                  |                                       | 250.00                |                                     | 250.00                       | 777.69               |            | 527.69    |                                     |
| Civil Defense                                              |                                       | 50.00                 |                                     | 50.00                        | 8.34                 | 41.66      |           |                                     |
| Health Department, Hospitals and<br>Town Dump              |                                       | 350.00                |                                     | 350.00                       | 138.70               | 211.30     |           |                                     |
| Vital Statistics                                           |                                       | 25.00                 |                                     | 25.00                        | 23.65                | 1.35       |           |                                     |
| Town Road Aid                                              |                                       | 990.08                |                                     | 990.08                       | 990.08               |            |           |                                     |
| Town Maintenance                                           |                                       | 14,000.00             | 3,195.90                            | 17,195.00                    | 17,927.56            |            | 731.66    |                                     |
| Street Lighting                                            |                                       | 250.00                |                                     | 250.00                       | 330.97               |            | 80.97     |                                     |
| General Expense of Highways                                |                                       | 2,057.72              |                                     | 2,057.72                     | 2,402.39             |            | 344.67    |                                     |
| Libraries                                                  |                                       | 350.00                |                                     | 350.00                       | 315.69               | 34.31      |           |                                     |
| Old Age Assistance                                         |                                       | 1,500.00              | 251.50                              | 1,751.50                     | 1,889.77             |            | 138.27    |                                     |
| Town Poor                                                  |                                       | 1,000.00              | 16.00                               | 1,016.00                     | 263.04               | 752.96     |           |                                     |

# **Exhibit C (Cont.)**

| TITLE OF ACCOUNT              | Liabilities<br>Forwarded<br>From 1950 | Appropriation<br>1951 | Receipts<br>and Reim-<br>bursements | Total<br>Amount<br>Available | Expenditures<br>1951 | Unexpended<br>Amount | Balances<br>Overdrawn | Liabilities<br>Forwarded<br>To 1952 |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Burnap and Ward               | 146.61                                |                       |                                     | 146.61                       | 100.00               |                      |                       | 46.61                               |
| Funds (Welfare)               |                                       | 40.00                 |                                     | 40.00                        | 51.10                |                      | 11.10                 |                                     |
| Memorial Day                  |                                       | 200.00                |                                     | 200.00                       | 208.14               |                      | 8.14                  |                                     |
| Cemeteries                    |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| Damage and Legal and          |                                       | 200.00                |                                     | 200.00                       | 117.17               | 82.83                |                       |                                     |
| Damage by Dogs                |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| Advertising and               |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| Regional Association          |                                       | 40.00                 |                                     | 40.00                        | 40.00                |                      |                       |                                     |
| Interest and Indebtedness     |                                       | 311.00                |                                     | 311.00                       | 239.90               | 71.10                |                       |                                     |
| Long Term Notes (Truck)       |                                       | 1,500.00              |                                     | 1,500.00                     | 1,500.00             |                      |                       |                                     |
| Temporary Loans               |                                       |                       | 20,000.00                           | 20,000.00                    | 20,000.00            |                      |                       |                                     |
| County Taxes                  |                                       | 5,741.75              |                                     | 5,741.75                     | 5,741.75             |                      |                       |                                     |
| School District Tax—          |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| Appropriation a/c             | 16,109.60                             | 37,746.91             |                                     | 53,856.51                    | 39,109.60            |                      |                       | 14,746.91                           |
| Leased Land Rental - 1950 a/c | 114.37                                |                       |                                     | 114.37                       | 114.37               |                      |                       |                                     |
| Yield Tax Surety Deposits     |                                       |                       | 2,346.20                            | 2,346.20                     | 2,346.20             |                      |                       |                                     |
| State Head Taxes and          |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| Penalties Collected           |                                       |                       | 2,362.00                            | 2,362.00                     |                      |                      |                       | 2,362.00                            |
| Overlay—Abatements, Discounts |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| and Tax Refunds               |                                       | 1,665.07              |                                     | 1,665.07                     | 1,080.74             | 584.33               |                       |                                     |
| 1950 Reimbursements           |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| a/c Exemption Growing Wood    |                                       |                       |                                     |                              |                      |                      |                       |                                     |
| and Timber (*)                |                                       |                       |                                     |                              | 478.59               |                      | 478.59                |                                     |
|                               | \$16,370.58                           | \$72,617.53           | \$28,276.29                         | \$117,264.40                 | \$100,216.60         | \$2,629.03           | \$2,736.75            | \$17,155.52                         |

(\*) Refunded to State in 1951

# EXHIBIT D

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

### Comparative Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

| Source                                                    | Revenues           |                    |           | Excess            | Deficit   |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
|                                                           | Estimated          | Actual             | \$        |                   |           |
| Interest and Dividend Tax                                 | \$ 7,666.45        | \$ 7,666.45        | \$        |                   |           |
| Railroad Tax                                              | 13.13              | 15.27              |           | 2.14              |           |
| Savings Bank Tax                                          | 60.00              | 70.33              |           | 10.33             |           |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees                                 | 2,800.00           | 3,682.86           |           | 882.86            |           |
| Business Licenses and Permits                             | 10.00              | 8.00               |           |                   | 2.00      |
| Rent of Town Property                                     | 50.00              | 28.00              |           |                   | 22.00     |
| Interest Received on Taxes                                | 38.45              | 78.76              |           | 40.31             |           |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing<br>Wood and Timber | 1,797.92           | *4,353.50          |           | 2,555.58          |           |
| Dog Licenses                                              | 450.00             | 486.00             |           | 36.00             |           |
| Interest Received on Deposits                             |                    | 9.51               |           | 9.51              |           |
| Refunds                                                   |                    | 26.54              |           | 26.54             |           |
| Sale of Town Property (Junk)                              |                    | 173.00             |           | 173.00            |           |
| Taxes Committed in Excess of<br>Budgetary Requirements    |                    | .05                |           | .05               |           |
| Added Taxes during 1951                                   |                    | 165.00             |           | 165.00            |           |
|                                                           | <u>\$12,885.95</u> | <u>\$16,763.27</u> | <u>\$</u> | <u>\$3,901.32</u> | <u>\$</u> |
| * Yield Taxes Assessed                                    |                    |                    |           |                   | 24.00     |

### Budget Summary

|                                      |                                |                  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Actual Revenues                      |                                |                  |
| Estimated Revenues                   | <hr/> \$16,763.27<br>12,885.95 |                  |
| Net Revenue Surplus                  |                                | \$3,877.32       |
| Overdrafts of Appropriations         | \$ 2,736.75                    |                  |
| Unexpended Balance of Appropriations | <hr/> 2,629.03                 |                  |
| Net Overdraft of Appropriations      |                                | <hr/> 107.72     |
| Net Budget Surplus                   |                                | <hr/> \$3,769.60 |

## EXHIBIT E

### TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

#### Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

##### Receipts

##### Current Revenue:

##### Local Taxes

##### Current Year:

|                  |             |
|------------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes   | \$54,920.02 |
| Poll Taxes       | 808.00      |
| National Bank    |             |
| Stock Taxes      | 30.00       |
| Yield Taxes      | 3,664.69    |
| State Head Taxes | 2,355.00    |

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\$61,777.71

##### Prior Years:

|                |             |
|----------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$ 1,925.15 |
| Poll Taxes     | 88.00       |

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
|                               | 2,013.15 |
| Interest Received on Taxes    | 78.76    |
| Penalties on State Head Taxes | 7.00     |
| Tax Sales Redeemed            | 1,122.95 |

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\$64,999.57

##### State of New Hampshire:

|                                     |             |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Class V Highway Maintenance         | \$ 1,381.30 |
| Interest and Dividend Tax           | 7,666.45    |
| Railroad Tax                        | 15.27       |
| Savings Bank Tax                    | 70.33       |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption Growing |             |
| Wood & Timber—1950 Account          | 74.23       |
| Fighting Forest Fires               | 86.01       |
| Bounties                            | 15.50       |
| Old Age Assistance Recovery         | 251.50      |

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9,560.59



## EXHIBIT E (Continued)

### Local Sources, Except Taxes:

|                                               |           |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Dog Licenses                                  | \$ 486.00 |
| Business Licenses, Permits<br>and Filing Fees | 8.00      |
| Rent of Town Property (Town Hall)             | 28.00     |
| Interest on Deposits                          | 9.51      |
| Registration of Motor Vehicles                | 3,682.86  |

### Income From Departments:

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Highway Department             |             |
| Credits                        | \$ 1,814.60 |
| Town Officers' Expenses        | 10.68       |
| Blister Rust Refund            | 8.00        |
| Town Poor                      |             |
| Reimbursements                 | 16.00       |
|                                | <hr/>       |
|                                | 1,849.28    |
|                                | <hr/>       |
|                                | 6,063.65    |
|                                | <hr/>       |
| Total Current Revenue Receipts | \$80,623.81 |

### Other Than Current Revenue:

|                 |             |
|-----------------|-------------|
| Temporary Loans | \$20,000.00 |
|-----------------|-------------|

### Refunds:

|                                                                                    |              |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Yield Tax Security Deposits<br>transferred from Special<br>a/c to General Fund a/c | 2,346.20     |
| Other Refunds                                                                      | 26.54        |
| Sale of Town Property (Junk)                                                       | 173.00       |
|                                                                                    | <hr/>        |
|                                                                                    | 22,545.74    |
|                                                                                    | <hr/>        |
| Total Receipts From All Sources                                                    | \$103,169.55 |
| Balance on Hand—January 1, 1952                                                    | 9,155.21     |
|                                                                                    | <hr/>        |
| Grand Total                                                                        | \$112,324.76 |

## EXHIBIT E (Continued)

### Expenditures

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

##### General Government:

|                             |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Town Officers' Salaries     | \$ 1,674.00 |
| Town Clerk—Auto Permit Fees | 306.50      |
| Town Officers' Expenses     | 1,045.84    |
| Election and Registration   | 43.94       |
| Town Hall & Buildings       | 344.65      |

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\$3,414.93

##### Protection of Persons and Property:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Police Department              | \$ 82.58 |
| Fire Department & Forest Fires | 123.65   |
| Blister Rust Control           | 400.00   |
| Bounties                       | 27.75    |
| Damage by Dogs                 | 54.37    |
| Insurance                      | 777.69   |
| Civil Defense                  | 8.34     |

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1,474.38

##### Health:

|                  |          |
|------------------|----------|
| Hospitals        | \$ 69.00 |
| Vital Statistics | 23.65    |
| Town Dump        | 69.70    |

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162.35

##### Highways and Bridges:

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
| Town Road Aid | \$ 990.08 |
|---------------|-----------|

##### Town Maintenance:

|                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Summer            | \$10,268.26 |
| Winter            | 4,515.22    |
| Equipment         | 2,859.58    |
| Withholding Taxes | 284.50      |

### EXHIBIT E (Continued)

|                                    |             |             |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                    | 17,927.56   |             |
| Street Lighting                    | 330.97      |             |
| General Expense of Highways        | 2,402.39    |             |
|                                    | <hr/>       |             |
|                                    |             | 21,651.00   |
| <b>Libraries:</b>                  |             | 315.69      |
| <b>Public Welfare:</b>             |             |             |
| Old Age Assistance                 | \$ 1,889.77 |             |
| Town Poor                          | 263.04      |             |
| Burnap and Ward Funds (Welfare)    | 100.00      |             |
|                                    | <hr/>       |             |
|                                    |             | 2,252.81    |
| <b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>         |             |             |
| Memorial Day                       |             | 51.10       |
| <b>Public Service Enterprises:</b> |             |             |
| Cemeteries                         |             | 208.14      |
| <b>Unclassified:</b>               |             |             |
| Damages and Legal                  | \$ 62.80    |             |
| Lake Sunapee Region                | 40.00       |             |
| Taxes bought by Town               | 1,003.27    |             |
| <b>Refunds:</b>                    |             |             |
| Yield Tax Security De-             |             |             |
| posits Paid Tax Col-               |             |             |
| lector & Security De-              |             |             |
| positors                           | \$2,346.20  |             |
| 1950 Reimbursement                 |             |             |
| a/c Exemption of                   |             |             |
| Growing Wood &                     |             |             |
| Timber                             | 478.59      |             |
| Tax Refunds (Overlay)              | 182.41      |             |
|                                    | <hr/>       |             |
|                                    |             | 3,007.20    |
|                                    |             | <hr/>       |
|                                    |             | 4,113.27    |
|                                    |             | <hr/>       |
| Total Current Maintenance Expenses |             | \$33,643.67 |

## EXHIBIT E (Continued)

### Indebtedness:

|                          |             |           |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Temporary Loans          | \$20,000.00 |           |
| Long Term Notes (Truck)  | 1,500.00    |           |
| Interest in Indebtedness | 239.90      |           |
|                          | <hr/>       | 21,739.90 |

### Other Governmental Division:

|              |             |
|--------------|-------------|
| County Taxes | \$ 5,741.75 |
|--------------|-------------|

### School District:

|                             |           |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Appropriation—1950-51 a/c   | 16,109.60 |           |
| Appropriation—1951-52 a/c   | 23,000.00 |           |
| Leased Land Rental—1950 a/c | 114.37    |           |
|                             | <hr/>     | 44,965.72 |

|                                     |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Total Expenditures For All Purposes | \$100,349.29 |
| Balance on Hand December 31, 1951   | 11,975.47    |

|             |                    |
|-------------|--------------------|
| Grand Total | <hr/> \$112,324.76 |
|-------------|--------------------|

## EXHIBIT F

### TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

#### Summary of Receipts, Expenditures and Proof of Treasurer's Balance Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

|                               |             |              |
|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Balance on Hand               |             |              |
| —January 1, 1951              | \$ 9,155.21 |              |
| Receipts During 1951          | 103,169.55  |              |
|                               | <hr/>       |              |
|                               |             | \$112,324.76 |
| Expenditures During 1951      |             | 100,349.29   |
|                               |             | <hr/>        |
| Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1951 |             | \$11,975.47  |

#### Proof of Treasurer's Balance

|                                   |             |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Balance in The Clare-             |             |             |
| mont National Bank                |             |             |
| as per Statement of               |             |             |
| Dec. 31, 1951                     | \$45,617.51 |             |
| Less: Checks Out-                 |             |             |
| standing Dec. 31,                 |             |             |
| 1951 (Verified)                   | 33,641.53   |             |
|                                   | <hr/>       |             |
|                                   |             | \$11,975.98 |
| Less: Excess Deposit in Bank      |             | .51         |
|                                   |             | <hr/>       |
| Balance on Hand December 31, 1951 |             | \$11,975.47 |



# EXHIBIT C

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

Summary of Warrant  
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

| Debits                                  |  | Total       | Property    | Polls    | Interest |
|-----------------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------|----------|----------|
| <b>Taxes Committed to Collector:</b>    |  |             |             |          |          |
| Property and Poll Taxes                 |  | \$59,701.63 | \$58,811.63 | \$890.00 | \$       |
| National Bank Stock Taxes               |  | 30.00       | 30.00       |          |          |
| Yield Taxes                             |  | 4,353.50    | 4,353.50    |          |          |
| <b>Added Taxes During 1951:</b>         |  |             |             |          |          |
| Property Taxes and Poll Taxes           |  | 159.00      | 145.00      | 14.00    |          |
| Interest Collected During 1951          |  | 2.83        |             |          | 2.83     |
|                                         |  | <hr/>       | <hr/>       | <hr/>    | <hr/>    |
|                                         |  | \$64,246.96 | \$63,340.13 | \$904.00 | \$ 2.83  |
| <b>Credits</b>                          |  |             |             |          |          |
| <b>Remittances to Treasurer:</b>        |  |             |             |          |          |
| Property, Polls and Interest            |  | \$55,730.85 | \$54,920.02 | \$808.00 | \$ 2.83  |
| National Bank Stock Taxes               |  | 30.00       | 30.00       |          |          |
| Yield Taxes                             |  | 3,664.69    | 3,664.69    |          |          |
| Discounts Allowed—1951                  |  | 756.41      | 756.41      |          |          |
| Abatements Allowed During 1951          |  | 16.00       |             | 16.00    |          |
| <b>Uncollected Taxes—Dec. 31, 1951:</b> |  |             |             |          |          |
| Property and Poll Taxes                 |  | 3,264.91    | 3,184.91    | 80.00    |          |
| Yield Taxes                             |  | 688.81      | 688.81      |          |          |
|                                         |  | <hr/>       | <hr/>       | <hr/>    | <hr/>    |
|                                         |  | \$64,151.67 | \$63,244.84 | \$904.00 | \$ 2.83  |
| <b>Add: Tax Collector's Cash Refund</b> |  |             |             |          |          |
| Made From Unremitted Collections        |  | (*) 95.29   | 95.29       |          |          |
|                                         |  | <hr/>       | <hr/>       | <hr/>    | <hr/>    |
|                                         |  | \$64,246.96 | \$63,340.13 | \$904.00 | \$ 2.83  |

(\*) Included in Tax Refunds Charged to Overlay

**EXHIBIT H**  
**TOWN OF PLAINFIELD**  
**Tax Levies of Prior Years**  
**Summary of Warrants**  
**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951**

| Debits                             | Total      | Tax Levies of: |         |        |
|------------------------------------|------------|----------------|---------|--------|
|                                    |            | 1950           | 1949    | 1948   |
| Uncollected Taxes January 1, 1951: |            |                |         |        |
| Property Taxes                     | \$1,961.38 | \$1,932.28     | \$25.65 | \$3.45 |
| Poll Taxes                         | 102.00     | 92.00          | 10.00   |        |
| Added Taxes During 1951:           |            |                |         |        |
| Poll Taxes                         | 6.00       | 6.00           |         |        |
| Interest Collected During 1951     | 16.73      | 14.91          | 1.32    | .50    |
|                                    | <hr/>      | <hr/>          | <hr/>   | <hr/>  |
|                                    | \$2,086.11 | \$2,045.19     | \$36.97 | \$3.95 |

**Credits**

**Remittances to Treasurer:**

|                |            |            |         |        |
|----------------|------------|------------|---------|--------|
| Property Taxes | \$1,925.15 | \$1,904.60 | \$17.10 | \$3.45 |
| Poll Taxes     | 88.00      | 78.00      | 10.00   |        |
| Interest       | 16.73      | 14.91      | 1.32    | .50    |

**Abatelements Allowed During 1951:**

|                |       |       |      |  |
|----------------|-------|-------|------|--|
| Property Taxes | 14.63 | 6.08  | 8.55 |  |
| Poll Taxes     | 16.00 | 16.00 |      |  |

**Uncollected Taxes December 31, 1951:**

|                |            |            |         |        |
|----------------|------------|------------|---------|--------|
| Property Taxes | 21.60      | 21.60      |         |        |
| Poll Taxes     | 4.00       | 4.00       |         |        |
|                | <hr/>      | <hr/>      | <hr/>   | <hr/>  |
|                | \$2,086.11 | \$2,045.19 | \$36.97 | \$3.95 |

# EXHIBIT I

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

### Statement of Tax Sale Accounts Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

| Debits                                             | Total      | Tax Levies of: |          |         |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------|----------------|----------|---------|
|                                                    |            | 1950           | 1949     | 1948    |
| Unredeemed Taxes—                                  |            |                |          |         |
| January 1, 1951                                    | \$ 116.45  | \$             | \$55.71  | \$60.74 |
| Tax Sale of Feb. 3, 1951                           | 1,003.27   | 1,003.27       |          |         |
| Interest Collected After Sale                      | 59.20      | 37.96          | 12.00    | 9.24    |
|                                                    | <hr/>      | <hr/>          | <hr/>    | <hr/>   |
|                                                    | \$1,263.03 | \$1,041.23     | \$151.82 | \$69.98 |
| <br><b>Credits</b>                                 |            |                |          |         |
| <b>Remittances to Treasurer:</b>                   |            |                |          |         |
| A/c Taxes                                          | \$1,122.95 | \$ 971.08      | \$91.13  | \$60.74 |
| A/c Interest                                       | 59.20      | 37.96          | 12.00    | 9.24    |
| Unredeemed Taxes —                                 |            |                |          |         |
| December 31, 1951 (*)                              | 80.88      | 32.19          | 48.69    |         |
|                                                    | <hr/>      | <hr/>          | <hr/>    | <hr/>   |
|                                                    | \$1,263.03 | \$1,041.23     | \$151.82 | \$69.98 |
| <br>Less: Taxes Sold to Others and                 |            |                |          |         |
| Included in Taxes Bought                           |            |                |          |         |
| by Town                                            | -84.11     |                | -84.11   |         |
|                                                    | <hr/>      | <hr/>          | <hr/>    | <hr/>   |
|                                                    | \$1,178.92 | \$1,041.23     | \$67.71  | \$69.98 |
| <br><b>(*) Unredeemed Taxes December 31, 1951:</b> |            |                |          |         |
| Allen W. Walker                                    | \$65.74    | \$21.80        | \$43.94  |         |
| Katherine Johnson                                  | 5.87       | 5.87           |          |         |
| Kate Mark Heirs                                    | 9.27       | 4.52           | 4.75     |         |
|                                                    | <hr/>      | <hr/>          | <hr/>    | <hr/>   |
|                                                    | \$80.88    | \$32.19        | \$48.69  |         |

**EXHIBIT J**  
**TOWN OF PLAINFIELD**  
**State Head Tax**  
**Tax Levy of 1951**  
**Summary of Warrant**  
**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951**

| <b>Debits</b>                  | <b>State<br/>Head Taxes</b> | <b>Penalties</b> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Taxes Committed to Collector   | \$2,670.00                  | \$               |
| Added Taxes During 1951        | 30.00                       |                  |
| Penalties Collected            |                             | 7.00             |
|                                | <hr/>                       | <hr/>            |
|                                | \$2,700.00                  | \$ 7.00          |
| <br><b>Credits</b>             |                             |                  |
| Remittances to Treasurer       | \$2,355.00                  | \$ 7.00          |
| Uncollected State Head Taxes — |                             |                  |
| December 31, 1951              | 345.00                      |                  |
|                                | <hr/>                       | <hr/>            |
|                                | \$2,700.00                  | \$ 7.00          |

## EXHIBIT K

### TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

#### Statement of Town Clerk's Accounts Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

##### Debits

###### Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:

|                           |          |            |
|---------------------------|----------|------------|
| 1950—Nos. 228910 - 228925 | \$ 29.02 |            |
| 1951—Nos. 183451 - 184048 | 3,648.43 |            |
| —No. 230751               | .50      |            |
|                           | <hr/>    | \$3,677.95 |

###### Dog Licenses Issued:

|                     |           |            |
|---------------------|-----------|------------|
| 172 Males @ 2.00    | \$ 344.00 |            |
| 26 Females @ \$5.00 | 130.00    |            |
| 1 Kennel @ \$12.00  | 12.00     |            |
|                     | <hr/>     | 486.00     |
| Filing Fees         | 8.00      |            |
|                     | <hr/>     | \$4,171.95 |

##### Credits

###### Remittances to Treasurer:

|                                                   |            |            |
|---------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| A/c Motor Vehicle Permits                         | \$3,682.86 |            |
| A/c Dog Licenses                                  | 486.00     |            |
| A/c Filing Fees                                   | 8.00       |            |
|                                                   | <hr/>      | \$4,176.86 |
| Less: Excess Remittance a/c Motor Vehicle Permits | 4.91       |            |
|                                                   | <hr/>      | \$4,171.95 |

**EXHIBIT L**

**TOWN OF PLAINFIELD**

**Philip Read Memorial Library**

**Statement of Treasurer's Account**

**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951**

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1951 | \$ 29.11 |
|------------------------------|----------|

**Receipts**

|                                  |         |          |
|----------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Edmund Read Fund                 | \$75.00 |          |
| Town of Plainfield               | 24.60   |          |
| True and Spalding Funds          | 8.70    |          |
| Interest on Savings Bank Deposit | .22     |          |
|                                  | <hr/>   |          |
|                                  |         | 108.52   |
|                                  |         | <hr/>    |
|                                  |         | \$137.63 |

**Expenditures**

|                               |         |         |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Janitor Service               | \$41.50 |         |
| Electricity                   | 12.00   |         |
| Labor—Trimming Shrubbbery     | 2.00    |         |
|                               | <hr/>   |         |
|                               |         | 55.50   |
|                               |         | <hr/>   |
| Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1951 |         | \$82.13 |

**Proof of Balance**

|                                                                                                     |         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Balance in The Windsor County National<br>Bank of Windsor, Vermont (Book No.<br>163) as of 12/27/51 | \$82.13 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|



**EXHIBIT M**  
**TOWN OF PLAINFIELD**  
**Meriden Library**  
**Statement of Treasurer's Account**  
**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951**

|                              |         |
|------------------------------|---------|
| Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1951 | \$14.57 |
|------------------------------|---------|

**Receipts**

|                      |         |         |
|----------------------|---------|---------|
| Town of Plainfield   | \$24.60 |         |
| Mary True Fund       | 7.50    |         |
| Marion Eastman Fund  | 6.00    |         |
| Abbie Spaulding Fund | 1.25    |         |
| Book Fines           | 9.15    |         |
|                      | <hr/>   |         |
|                      |         | 48.50   |
|                      |         | <hr/>   |
|                      |         | \$63.07 |

**Expenditures**

|                      |         |       |
|----------------------|---------|-------|
| Books Purchased      | \$42.71 |       |
| Postage and Supplies | 3.86    |       |
|                      | <hr/>   |       |
|                      |         | 46.57 |
|                      |         | <hr/> |

|                                          |         |
|------------------------------------------|---------|
| Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1951 (Verified) | \$16.50 |
|------------------------------------------|---------|

**EXHIBIT N (Continued)**

**TOWN OF PLAINFIELD**

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

**Statement of Trust Fund Principal,  
Income and Investments**

**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951**

|                                                          |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Principal and Income on Hand—<br>December 31, 1951 | \$28,538.73 |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|

**Depositories and Investments:**

|                                               |             |             |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Dartmouth Savings Bank                        | \$13,021.36 |             |
| Mascoma Savings Bank                          | 987.77      |             |
| New Hampshire Savings Bank                    | 7,942.86    |             |
| Manchester Savings Bank                       | 667.33      |             |
| Amoskeag Savings Bank                         | 3,992.45    |             |
| Newport Savings Bank                          | 52.96       |             |
| Sugar River Savings Bank                      | 718.06      |             |
| Vermont Savings Bank, Windsor, Vt.            | 102.38      |             |
| Town of Plainfield Note                       | 600.00      |             |
| National Bank of Lebanon—<br>Checking Account | 453.56      |             |
|                                               | <hr/>       | \$28,538.73 |

# EXHIBIT 0

## TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

### Schedule of Town Officers' Surety Bonds Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951

| Coverage                              | Bond Number     | Amount     | Term Beginning |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|------------|----------------|
| <b>Town Treasurer:</b>                |                 |            |                |
| John W. Whitney                       |                 |            |                |
| United States Fidelity & Casualty Co. |                 | \$7,500.00 | March 13, 1951 |
| Robert W. Gibson                      |                 |            |                |
| United States Fidelity & Casualty Co. |                 | 7,500.00   | July 30, 1951  |
| <b>Tax Collector:</b>                 |                 |            |                |
| Richard DeGoosh                       |                 |            |                |
| United States Fidelity & Casualty Co. |                 | 9,000.00   | March 13, 1951 |
| United States Fidelity & Casualty Co. | 34622-07-527-51 | 400.00     | March 13, 1951 |
| <b>Town Clerk:</b>                    |                 |            |                |
| Howard Zea                            |                 |            |                |
| Peerless Casualty Company             | S-91930         | 1,000.00   | March 13, 1951 |
| <b>Deputy Town Clerk:</b>             |                 |            |                |
| Nellie Zea                            |                 |            |                |
| Peerless Casualty Company             | S-91929         | 1,000.00   | March 13, 1951 |
| <b>Road Agent:</b>                    |                 |            |                |
| Maurice D. King                       |                 |            |                |
| Peerless Casualty Company             | S-45620         | 1,000.00   | March 13, 1951 |
| <b>Trustee of Trust Funds:</b>        |                 |            |                |
| Ruth P. Williams                      |                 |            |                |
| United States Fidelity & Casualty Co. |                 | 1,000.00   | March 13, 1951 |

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
OF PLAINFIELD**

**Officers of the District**

**Moderator**

JOHN F. McNAMARA

**Clerk**

HARRIET A. WILLIAMS

**Treasurer**

NELLIE ZEA

**School Board**

ALBERT K. READ, Chrm.  
(Term Expires 1952)

BARBARA STONE  
(Term expires 1953)

LAWRENCE TAYLOR  
(Term expires 1954)

**School Nurse**

ANN LaCOSS

**Truant Officer**

FRANK SULLIVAN

**Auditor**

B. DAVID BENSON  
WALLACE WILLIAMS

## PLAINFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

### WARRANT

#### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Plainfield, in the county of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall at Meriden in said District on Saturday, March 8, 1952 at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon to act on the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Article 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To choose auditors or other agents for the ensuing year.

Article 6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees and other officers heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of said District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxation by the district.

- Article 8. To see if the District will vote to build and equip an addition to the Plainfield Plain School and to the Meriden Village School, provide the necessary equipment and furnishings and to acquire any real property that may be necessary for the proper location of such addition and take any other action relating thereto.
- Article 9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, not to exceed \$40,000.00 for the construction equipment and furnishings for the said additions to the Plainfield Plain School and the Meriden Village School and the acquisition of any real property that may be necessary for its location; and whether the district will vote to authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the District for all or any portion of the sum so raised and appropriated; and to authorize the School Board to determine the terms and conditions upon which the notes or bonds shall be issued including their sale, the time and place of payment of principal and in accordance with the municipal bond statute, N. H. Revised Laws Chapter 72, as amended.
- Article 10. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to supervise the construction of said additions and to execute any and all deeds, contracts, agreements and instruments necessary in connection with the purchase of any real estate for the construction of said additions.
- Article 11. To see what sum the District will vote to raise and appropriate to be set aside as a Capital Reserve Fund, as provided by Laws of 1943 Chapter 160 as amended, this sum and any additions thereto to be held in reserve for school house repairs, construction or enlargement and/or land and equipment in the Plainfield School District.



- Article 12. To see if the District will vote to have the high school pupils from the Plainfield Plains area transported to West Lebanon instead of Windsor.
- Article 13. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 21st day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

ALBERT K. READ  
BARBARA STONE  
LAWRENCE H. TAYLOR  
Plainfield School Board

A True Copy of Warrant—Attest:  
ALBERT K. READ  
BARBARA STONE  
LAWRENCE H. TAYLOR  
Plainfield School Board

## PLAINFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET

1952-1953

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligation of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1952:

### DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

#### Support of Schools

|                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Teachers' salaries                | \$20,500.00 |
| Books & other exp. of Instruction | 500.00      |
| Scholars supplies                 | 500.00      |
| Other instructional supplies      | 40.00       |
| Janitor service                   | 1,516.00    |
| Fuel                              | 1,288.00    |
| Water, lights & janitor supplies  | 500.00      |
| Minor repairs                     | 400.00      |
| Health supervision                | 600.00      |
| Transportation                    | 5,717.00    |
| Special activities                | 25.00       |
|                                   | <hr/>       |
| Total support of schools          | \$31,586.00 |

#### Other Statutory Requirements

|                              |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Salaries District Officers   | 413.00      |
| Supt's. Salary               | 517.00      |
| Per capita tax               | 456.00      |
| Exp. of Administration       | 582.00      |
| Retirement assessment        | 1,300.00    |
| Insurance                    | 235.00      |
| New equipment                | 185.00      |
|                              | <hr/>       |
| Total Statutory Requirements | \$ 3,688.00 |
| Total expense                | \$35,274.00 |
| High school tuition          | 12,045.00   |
|                              | <hr/>       |
|                              | \$47,319.00 |
| Noon lunch program           | 1,000.00    |
|                              | <hr/>       |
|                              | \$48,319.00 |





|                         |          |             |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Less estimated income:  |          |             |
| Sale of school house    | 820.00   |             |
| State aid               | 6,618.00 |             |
| Noon lunch fund         | 1,000.00 |             |
|                         | <hr/>    | 8,438.00    |
| Total amount to balance |          | <hr/>       |
| School Board's Budget   |          | \$39,881.00 |

### Receipts

July 1, 1950 — June 30, 1951

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Federal Aid—Noon lunch program | \$ 894.65   |
| Equalization—State aid         | 2,667.40    |
| Current Appropriation          | 34,109.60   |
| Elementary Tuitions            | 600.00      |
| Trust funds                    | 114.37      |
| Refunds                        | 2.00        |
| P.T.A. Lunch funds             | 2,790.49    |
|                                | <hr/>       |
| Total receipts                 | \$41,176.51 |
| Cash on hand July 1, 1950      | 1,934.06    |
|                                | <hr/>       |
| Grand Total                    | \$43,110.57 |

### SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES

1950-1951

|                                    |           |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries of Dist. Officers         | \$ 408.91 |
| Superintendent                     | 630.92    |
| Expense of Administration          | 473.87    |
| Teachers' Salaries                 | 17,694.11 |
| Textbooks                          | 417.32    |
| Scholars' Supplies                 | 436.76    |
| Other expenses                     | 3.50      |
| Janitors' Salaries                 | 1,386.74  |
| Fuel                               | 705.21    |
| Water, Lights & Janitors' Supplies | 461.31    |

|                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Minor repairs                     | 311.63      |
| Medical inspection                | 579.72      |
| Transportation                    | 7,246.50    |
| High school tuition               | 6,263.00    |
| Elementary school tuition         | 66.50       |
| Rent                              | 185.00      |
| Insurance                         | 235.00      |
| Per capita tax                    | 432.00      |
| New equipment                     | 20.12       |
| Retirement assessment             | 1,051.64    |
| N. H. State Board—Food Assistance | 894.65      |
| P.T.A. Lunch—pupil money          | 2,788.49    |
|                                   | <hr/>       |
| Total expenditures                | \$42,692.90 |

#### **Salaries of District Officers**

|                                        |           |
|----------------------------------------|-----------|
| Nellie Zea, Treasurer                  | 40.00     |
| Barbara Stone                          | 100.00    |
| Albert Read, salary & expenses         | 112.50    |
| Harriet A. Williams, salary & expenses | 117.58    |
| Lawrence Taylor                        | 30.83     |
| Willard Whitney, clerk                 | 3.00      |
| John McNamara, Treasurers bond         | 5.00      |
|                                        | <hr/>     |
|                                        | \$ 408.91 |

#### **Superintendent's Salary**

|                                             |           |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Ella B. Reney, Treas. Supervisory Union #32 | \$ 449.04 |
|---------------------------------------------|-----------|

#### **Expense of Administration**

|                                 |       |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Truant officer—A. L. Brouillard | 5.10  |
| Census—A. L. Brouillard         | 45.00 |
| H. Rogers—audit                 | 6.00  |
| D. Benson—audit                 | 6.00  |
| A. K. Read, expenses            | 46.09 |
| Nellie Zea, expenses            | 11.56 |
| Harriet Williams, expenses      | 45.75 |
| Barbara Stone, expenses         | 5.40  |



|                                                  |           |
|--------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| Lawrence Taylor, expenses                        | 3.58      |
| Leahy & Denault—legal                            | 50.00     |
| E. C. Eastman Co., supplies                      | 10.19     |
| Ella B. Reney—Supt. travel allowance             | 51.00     |
| Supervisory Union expense                        | 304.46    |
| H. Zea—auctioning Brook School                   | 5.00      |
| Lebanon School District, Tele., post. & supplies | 26.12     |
| Cummings Printing—auction bills                  | 4.85      |
|                                                  | <hr/>     |
|                                                  | \$ 473.87 |

### Teachers' Salaries

|                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Laura DeGoosh     | \$ 1,585.61 |
| Frederick Aldrich | 2,210.50    |
| Rebecca Corette   | 2,300.00    |
| Josephine Crane   | 2,100.00    |
| Grace Kerr        | 2,300.00    |
| Florence Moulton  | 2,000.00    |
| Eleanor LaPlante  | 377.74      |
| Bertha Sullivan   | 2,200.00    |
| Emma Spalding     | 2,041.70    |
| Roger Williams    | 409.00      |
| Substitutes       | 169.56      |
|                   | <hr/>       |
|                   | \$17,694.11 |

### Textbooks

|                        |           |
|------------------------|-----------|
| Laidlaw Bros.          | \$ 92.99  |
| E. E. Babb & Co.       | 1.78      |
| Silver Burdett Co.     | 2.76      |
| Chas. Scribners Sons   | 23.89     |
| Macmillan Co.          | 22.64     |
| Ginn & Co.             | 60.73     |
| Row, Peterson Co.      | 83.92     |
| Beckley-Cardy Co.      | 14.29     |
| American Book Co.      | 105.14    |
| Bureau of Publications | 4.02      |
| C. E. Merrill Co.      | 5.16      |
|                        | <hr/>     |
|                        | \$ 417.32 |

### Scholars' Supplies

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| American Education Press     | 17.20     |
| White River Paper Co.        | 124.47    |
| E. E. Babb & Co.             | 19.83     |
| Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Co. | 4.44      |
| Follett Publishing Co.       | 4.09      |
| J. L. Hammett Co.            | 15.87     |
| Gledhill Bros.               | 148.89    |
| Beckley-Cardy Co.            | 17.09     |
| Cory-Hewitt Press            | 3.38      |
| Macmillan Co.                | 19.50     |
| Hectographia Co.             | 6.40      |
| Wanda Chapman                | 3.15      |
| Blow-Me-Down Market          | 8.62      |
| Lebanon School District      | 43.83     |
|                              | <hr/>     |
|                              | \$ 436.76 |

### Other Expenses

|                   |      |
|-------------------|------|
| Hunts Dept. Store | 3.50 |
|-------------------|------|

### Janitor Service

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Meda Barker         | \$ 117.00   |
| Stella White        | 432.00      |
| Arthur LaClair      | 316.00      |
| Blow-Me-Down Grange | 370.00      |
| Esther LaClair      | 10.00       |
| Josephine Crane     | 90.00       |
| W. V. Videan        | 15.00       |
| Alex White          | 8.50        |
| S. F. Plummer       | 28.24       |
|                     | <hr/>       |
|                     | \$ 1,386.74 |

### Fuel

|                  |          |
|------------------|----------|
| A. E. Lord & Co. | \$ 48.38 |
| M. Camp          | 54.00    |
| R. Evans         | 26.00    |
| W. Grant         | 10.00    |
| A. White         | 2.00     |
| P. Coutermarsh   | 64.00    |
| R. Gibson        | 80.00    |
| R. Stone         | 30.00    |
| E. Tobin         | 21.00    |

|                               |           |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Meriden Congregational Church | 96.00     |
| N. P. Clough & Co.            | 181.10    |
| Stacey Coal & Lumber Co.      | 45.23     |
| L. Tracey                     | 47.50     |
|                               | <hr/>     |
|                               | \$ 705.21 |

#### Water, Lights and Janitor Supplies

|                           |           |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Conn. Valley Electric Co. | \$ 117.68 |
| Granite Electric Co.      | 24.85     |
| Josephine Crane           | 1.00      |
| MacLeay's Store           | 21.56     |
| Meriden Electric          | 111.89    |
| F. W. Woolworth Co.       | 2.40      |
| White River Paper Co.     | 96.04     |
| Lewis Bros.               | 6.62      |
| Twin State Electric       | 15.40     |
| C. M. Hildreth & Son      | 7.10      |
| Blow-Me-Down Grange       | 25.68     |
| Gledhill Bros.            | 10.45     |
| Meriden Water Co.         | 9.00      |
| J. L. Hammett Co.         | 11.64     |
|                           | <hr/>     |
|                           | \$ 461.31 |

#### Minor Repairs

|                          |       |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Valley Refrigeration Co. | 20.35 |
| A. LaClair               | 18.09 |
| M. King                  | 3.50  |
| J. Crane                 | 4.60  |
| MacLeay's Store          | 1.32  |
| E. Barker                | 6.15  |
| Twin State Elec. Co.     | 71.19 |
| F. Jardine               | 15.70 |
| N. P. Clough & Co.       | 43.30 |
| B. Philbrick             | 24.89 |
| N. Wilder                | 24.72 |
| A. Read                  | 2.00  |
| A. White                 | 35.00 |
| F. E. Reed               | 2.65  |
| R. Gibson                | 1.50  |
| F. Chase                 | 4.00  |
| L. Tracey                | 3.00  |
| Claremont Publishing Co. | 1.80  |
| O. Tyrrell               | 2.52  |

|               |      |
|---------------|------|
| F. Chellis    | 6.10 |
| O. Castonguay | 4.25 |
| H. Chellis    | 5.00 |
| W. Videan     | 6.50 |
| V. Cleary     | 3.50 |

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\$ 311.63

#### Medical Inspection

|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Ann LaCoss           | 450.00 |
| Dr. R. A. Whitney    | 120.00 |
| McNeill's Drug Store | 9.72   |

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\$ 479.72

#### Transportation

|               |          |
|---------------|----------|
| D. Westgate   | 400.00   |
| S. White      | 640.00   |
| H. Wilder     | 3,400.00 |
| H. Rogers     | 2,450.00 |
| A. Torrey     | 90.00    |
| C. King       | 170.50   |
| F. Lassen     | 46.00    |
| H. Hoisington | 50.00    |

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\$ 7,246.50

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Blow-Me-Down Grange—Rent | \$ 185.00 |
| John McNamara—Insurance  | \$ 235.00 |
| Per Capita Tax           | \$ 432.00 |

#### New Equipment

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Beckely-Cardy Co.              | \$ 20.12    |
| Retirement Assessment          | \$ 1,081.29 |
| Noon Lunch—pupils money rebate | \$ 2,788.49 |
| Noon Lunch—N. H. State Board   | \$ 894.65   |

#### Tuition — High School

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| St. Johnsbury Academy    | \$ 175.00 |
| Hartford School District | 175.00    |
| Windsor School District  | 2,775.00  |
| Lebanon School District  | 3,000.50  |

#### Tuition — Elementary School

|                         |           |
|-------------------------|-----------|
| Lebanon School District | \$ 100.00 |
| Windsor School District | 104.00    |

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\$ 6,529.50

Total Expenditures

\$42,692.90

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Plainfield:

One factor in the success of the schools in any district is understanding and cooperation among the parents, citizens and teachers. People in your district appear interested in the school program and have given cooperation to the teachers in promoting the general welfare of the schools. We welcome your visits to the schools and your constructive suggestions.

The Plainfield District was fortunate to receive \$6,618.00 as its share of State Aid for 1951-1952. We can only estimate and hope that the same sum will be paid by the state in 1952-1953.

Some of the classrooms are not large enough for the number of pupils in them. Other classes are too large for adequate attention to be given to the individual pupil's needs. First grade groups next year are estimated to be large. This will be partly offset by a large class graduating from the 8th grade in both sections of the district.

The problem of finding and hiring competent teachers has been a very serious one in recent years and there is no relief in sight. There are more teaching positions in the cities and large communities than there are candidates graduating from the Teacher Training Institutions. Plainfield is fortunate in having its complete group of teachers this year. Your attention is especially

called to the fact that there is a capable young man in each village teaching the upper grades. Most school systems are employing more men in the upper elementary grades and Plainfield is wise to follow this pattern.

Until late in August no one had been found to teach the eight pupils on Methodist Hill, and it became necessary to consider closing the school. However, a teacher was finally hired. The cost per pupil on Methodist Hill this year is \$312.00. The state average cost for current expenses last year was \$197.00 per elementary pupil.

The Parent-Teachers' Associations have continued to sponsor the hot lunch programs. They have had a program to promote better understanding and cooperation between school and parents.

Additions to both the Meriden and the Plainfield buildings are needed. The School Board has conferred with Mr. Paul Farnum of the State Department of Education and has secured tentative plans and cost estimates. There are several possible solutions to the building needs which might be considered reasonable. I hope that the facts may be studied by everyone interested and that a sensible solution will be found.

Two types of architecture for an addition to each building could be considered. First, one to correspond to the present general type and second, a flat roof addition which would be similar to the new school in Claremont. The first would cost about one-third more than the second.

Careful consideration of this problem is urged. The decision, whether it be made this year or later, will affect the education of your children and your grandchildren. The expenditure for new rooms will be determined by your decision. We will try to make the facts available in order that you may have the information you feel you need upon which to decide this question.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to Mr. William J. English for the excellent school organization which he supervised for many years.

The help and cooperation of the School Board, teachers, nurse, PTA, bus drivers, janitors and other citizens are greatly appreciated. I want each one of you to know that I am grateful for your help during this first year of working with you. It has been interesting to watch your children at work in their classes and I commend them for the hard work they are doing.

Respectfully submitted,

HAMMOND YOUNG,

Superintendent







## TREASURER'S REPORT

|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1950 | \$ 1,934.06 |
|----------------------------|-------------|

### Received:

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Federal aid—school lunch    | 894.65    |
| State aid—equalization fund | 2,667.40  |
| Current appropriation       | 34,109.60 |
| Elementary tuition—Enfield  | 600.00    |
| Trust funds                 | 114.37    |
| Refunds                     | 2.00      |
| Other—P.T.A. Lunch funds    | 2,788.49  |

|                                 |             |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Receipts                  | \$43,110.57 |
| Total payments for all purposes | 42,692.90   |

|                            |           |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1951 | \$ 417.67 |
|----------------------------|-----------|

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books of the Plainfield School Board for the year ending June 30, 1951 and found them correctly cast and properly vouched.

B. DAVID BENSON, Jr.

WALLACE H. WILLIAMS

Auditors

## PRIZES AND AWARDS

The prizes awarded the Eighth Grade pupils by the Honorable H. E. Ward for patriotic subjects are as follows:

| Eastern Section |                | Western Section |                 |
|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1st prize       | Lionel Mosher  |                 | Corine Owen     |
| 2nd prize       | Patricia Stone |                 | Pauline Plummer |
| 3rd prize       | June Fadden    |                 | Donald Napsey   |

## ENROLLMENT

| School                  | Number of pupils in Grades |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       | Total |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                         | Grade 1                    | 2     | 3     | 4     | 5     | 6     | 7     | 8     |       |       |
| Meriden Primary         |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Laura DeGoosh           | 14                         | 11    | 8     |       |       |       |       |       |       | 33    |
| Meriden Intermediate    |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Bertha Sullivan         |                            |       |       | 6     | 12    | 7     |       |       |       | 25    |
| Meriden Grammar         |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Roger Williams          |                            |       |       |       |       |       | 8     | 15    |       | 23    |
| Plainfield Primary      |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Rebecca Corette         | 11                         | 6     | 11    |       |       |       |       |       |       | 28    |
| Plainfield Intermediate |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Emma Spalding           |                            |       |       | 18    | 15    |       |       |       |       | 33    |
| Plainfield Grammar      |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Richard Rogers          |                            |       |       |       |       | 10    | 6     | 14    |       | 30    |
| East Plainfield         |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Florence Moulton        | 3                          | 2     | 2     | 3     | 2     | 3     |       |       |       | 15    |
| Methodist Hill          |                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Audrey Bidwell          | 1                          | 1     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 2     |       | 8     |
|                         | <hr/>                      | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Totals                  | 29                         | 20    | 22    | 27    | 30    | 21    | 15    | 31    |       | 195   |

## Completed Eight Grades

June 1951

### Plainfield

Donald Napsey  
Corine Owen  
Pauline Plummer  
Scott Slayton  
Joan Spalding

### Meriden

June Fadden  
Lionel Mosher  
Patricia Stone  
Roger Thibault

## TUITION PUPILS

1951-1952

### Lebanon High School

|                | Gr. |                 | Gr. |
|----------------|-----|-----------------|-----|
| Bette LaClair  | 12  | Harriet Green   | 10  |
| Patty Dean     | 12  | Richard Strobel | 10  |
| Leonard LaFlam | 11  | Roger Thibault  | 9   |
| Roger Pringle  | 11  | Patricia Stone  | 9   |
| Stella Dion    | 11  | Luther Wheeler  | 9   |

### West Lebanon High School

|                   |    |                  |    |
|-------------------|----|------------------|----|
| Walter King       | 12 | Philip LaBounty* | 10 |
| Pauline LaBounty* | 12 | Fred King        | 9  |
| George Lassen     | 11 | Janet LaBounty*  | 9  |
| Eugene Torrey     | 11 | James Hutchins   | 7  |
| Warren King       | 10 |                  |    |

\* moved to West Lebanon October 8, 1951

### Windsor High School

|                   |    |                 |    |
|-------------------|----|-----------------|----|
| Louise Atwood     | 10 | Pauline Tessier | 11 |
| Jeanette Bomyea   | 10 | Gladys Shepard  | 9  |
| Stanley Crary     | 11 | Joan Spalding   | 9  |
| Robert Earle      | 11 | Pauline Plummer | 9  |
| Joanne Kittredge  | 10 | Corine Owen     | 9  |
| Lawrence Morse    | 12 | Alice Merrill   | 10 |
| Shirley Pelletier | 11 | Arlene Merrill  | 9  |
| Dolores Woodward  | 12 | David Woodward  | 12 |

### St. Johnsbury Academy

|               |    |
|---------------|----|
| Sara Stephens | 10 |
|---------------|----|

### Hartford High School

|                  |    |
|------------------|----|
| Helen Hoisington | 12 |
|------------------|----|

### Kimball Union Academy

(tuition free)

|                |    |                  |    |
|----------------|----|------------------|----|
| Richard Fadden | 11 | Donald Napsey    | 9  |
| Lionel Mosher  | 9  | Gerald Pringle   | 11 |
| Fredric Muise  | 12 | Lawrence Pringle | 10 |

## MEDICAL INSPECTION REPORT

**Report of School Nurse**

**Anna LaCoss**

|                                                     |     |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----|
| Number of pupils examined                           | 184 |
| Number of pupils excluded for communicable diseases | 34  |

| Defects found       | Pupils<br>Treated | Corrected<br>or improved |
|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Vision              | 2                 | 4                        |
| Hearing             | 2                 |                          |
| Skin                |                   | 7                        |
| Scalp               | 3                 | 3                        |
| Speech              | 1                 | 1                        |
| Teeth               | 84                | 64                       |
| Tonsils             | 6                 | 6                        |
| Hearing tests given | 125               |                          |
| Vision tests given  | 161               |                          |
| Home visits         | 36                |                          |
| School visits       | 50                |                          |

ANN LaCOSS

School Nurse

## REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

|                           |     |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Number of pupils examined | 184 |
|---------------------------|-----|

**Defects found**

|           |    |
|-----------|----|
| Tonsils   | 6  |
| Glands    | 11 |
| Abdomen   | 7  |
| Nutrition | 3  |

R. A. WHITNEY

Doctor



## MARRIAGES

| 1951<br>Date | Place of Marriage |                    | Name & Surname of<br>Groom & Bride |                             | Residence at time of Marriage |                    | Name of Parents                                                  | By Whom Married        |
|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
|              | Jan.              | 6                  | Jan.                               | 6                           | Age                           |                    |                                                                  |                        |
| Jan.         | 6                 | Cornish, N. H.     | Leslie R. Stone                    | Eva Mae Scruton             | 32                            | Plainfield, N. H.  | Harold Stone<br>Willa Stone<br>Joseph Scruton<br>Nellie Nelson   | Rev. Donald B. Howard  |
| Feb.         | 17                | Claremont, N. H.   | Robert E. Gray                     | Margaret Caroline Dickerson | 25                            | Plainfield, N. H.  | Harvey Gray<br>Sylvia Waite<br>Herbert Dickerson                 | Rev. Harold Campbell   |
| Mar.         | 31                | Hanover, N. H.     | Sheldon Ernest Morrill             | Olive Bell Leib             | 20                            | Franklin, N. H.    | Frances Helena Bacon<br>Sheldon B. Morrill<br>Jessie B. Westcott | Rev. Leslie W. Holden  |
| Apr.         | 21                | Springfield, Mass. | Howard W. Zea                      | Constance R. Hovey          | 23                            | Plainfield, N. H.  | George L. Leib<br>Olive Finley<br>Joseph M. Zea                  | Rev. Ernest Sommerfeld |
| May          | 25                | Plainfield, N. H.  | Warren C. Peavey, Jr.              | Rose Eva Rice               | 30                            | Springfield, Mass. | Nellie M. Cunningham<br>Edmund O. Hovey<br>Dell G. Rogers        | Rev. Ernest Sommerfeld |
| June         |                   | Meriden, N. H.     | Richard Shewell                    | Dorothy B. Bourleau         | 37                            | Hartford, Vt.      | Warren C. Peavey<br>Inez M. Marshall<br>Earnest Gagnon           | Rev. Laura B. Berthold |
| June         | 13                | Plainfield, N. H.  | David R. Stone                     | Esther M. Dickerson         | 44                            | Hartford, Vt.      | Mabel Huston<br>Arthur Shewell<br>Orphaned                       | Rev. James C. Glasser  |
| June         | 23                | Lebanon, N. H.     | Joseph E. H. Descoteau             | Marion Doris Sanborn        | 26                            | Whitchall, N. Y.   | John Whitford<br>Charlett Vicortane<br>Harold L. Stone           | Rev. James C. Glasser  |
| June         | 24                | Meriden, N. H.     | Frank J. Chapman                   | Annamay N. LaFlam           | 36                            | Whitchall, N. Y.   | Willa Stone<br>Herbert W. Dickerson<br>Frances H. Bacon          | Rev. James C. Glasser  |
| July         | 26                | Windsor, Vt.       | Pauline B. Tierney                 |                             | 24                            | Plainfield, N. H.  | Edward C. J. Descoteau<br>Roseanna Bautin<br>Howard J. Sanborn   | Rev. Frank K. Neary    |
|              |                   |                    |                                    |                             | 18                            | Hanover, N. H.     | Mary A. Little<br>Newell G. Chapman<br>Daisy C. Towne            | Rev. James C. Glasser  |
|              |                   |                    |                                    |                             | 20                            | Meriden, N. H.     | Leonard L. LaFlam<br>Doris M. Taylor<br>Louis Monette            | Rev. David P. Roche    |
|              |                   |                    |                                    |                             | 22                            | Windsor, Vt.       | Edith Garrard<br>Joseph Tierney<br>Josephine Pinkham             |                        |

## MARRIAGES (Continued)

|      |    |                       |                                                           |                    |                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                        |
|------|----|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Aug. | 11 | Windsor, Vt.          | Harold S. Wilder, Jr.                                     | 24                 | Plainfield, N. H.                                   | Harold S. Wilder<br>Mildred I. Stearns<br>Norman Walker Clark<br>Olive A. Stone<br>William B. Tracy<br>Pearl Hadley<br>Vern A. Barton<br>Kathrine Ashley<br>Harold E. Perry<br>Hazel W. Thurlow<br>Robert E. Fleming<br>Doris Rollins<br>Clifford Griswold<br>Beatrice Tobin<br>Rosario Rouillard<br>Adele Lambert | Rev. Robert Whalen     |
| Oct. | 13 | Plainfield, N. H.     | Yvonne Olive Clark<br>Lionel A. Tracy<br>Martha J. Barton | 24<br>  36<br>  26 | Windsor, Vt.<br>Cornish, N. H.<br>Plainfield, N. H. |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Rev. Fred Berthold Jr. |
| Oct. | 27 | White River Jct., Vt. | Harold Edgar Perry, Jr.<br>Roberta Olive Fleming          | 24<br>  16         | White River Jct., Vt.<br>Plainfield, N. H.          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Rev. Milton M. Lavery  |
| Nov. | 10 | Claremont, N. H.      | Donald Robert Griswold<br>Frances Irene Rouillard         | 23<br>  21         | Plainfield, N. H.<br>Claremont, N. H.               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Rev. J. J. McCarthy    |

# BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PLAINFIELD, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth    | Name of Child              | Name of Father           | Birthplace of Father  | Maiden Name of Mother     | Birthplace of Mother |
|---------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| 1864<br>Apr.  | Plainfield, N. H. | Esther Jordan              | Lewis S. Jordan          | Plainfield, N. H.     | Xarifa Jordan             | Salisbury, N. H.     |
| 1865<br>Mar.  | Providence, R. I. | Daniel Augustus Richardson |                          |                       |                           |                      |
| 1951<br>Jan.  | Lebanon, N. H.    | Joan Lucille Lambert       | Arthur Joseph Lambert    | Derry, N. H.          | Martha Helen Strobel      | Lebanon, N. H.       |
| Feb.          | Lebanon, N. H.    | Christine Elaine Benware   | Adeloid Clarence Benware | Westfield, N. H.      | Doris Brown               | Rochester, Vt.       |
| Feb.          | Hanover, N. H.    | Sylvia Marie Stearns       | Fred Orrren Stearns      | Lebanon, N. H.        | Edna Ruth Hutchins        | E. Pepperell, Mass.  |
| Feb.          | Windsor, Vt.      | Paul Arthur Webster        | Paul Arthur Webster      | Belmont, N. H.        | Florence Cora Copp        | Strong, Maine        |
| Mar.          | Windsor, Vt.      | Joan Belva Aldrich         | Roger Freeman Aldrich    | Lebanon, N. H.        | Alice Pauline Seace       | Hanover, N. H.       |
| Mar.          | Windsor, Vt.      | Jane Alice Aldrich         | Roger Freeman Aldrich    | Lebanon, N. H.        | Alice Pauline Seace       | Hanover, N. H.       |
| Mar.          | Lebanon, N. H.    | James Frederick Glasser    | James Charles Glasser    | Marion Center, Pa.    | Dorothy Louise More       | Indianapolis, Ind.   |
| Mar.          | Lebanon, N. H.    | Rebecca Lea Crate          | Alexander Joseph Crate   | Lebanon, N. H.        | Doris Ellen Grace         | Springfield, N. H.   |
| Apr.          | Lebanon, N. H.    | Joyce Ann Sweeney          | Laurence Maurice Sweeney | Hillsboro, N. H.      | Patricia Ann Thibault     | Lebanon, N. H.       |
| Apr.          | Lebanon, N. H.    | Susan Jane Sweeney         | Lloyd Clifford Sweeney   | Hillsboro, N. H.      | Priscilla Elaine Thibault | Lebanon, N. H.       |
| Apr.          | Windsor, Vt.      | John Walter Hendrick       | Horatio William Hendrick | Northumberland, N. H. | Alice Lorrain Palmer      | Springfield, Vt.     |
| May           | Windsor, Vt.      | Joan Mae Kelly             | William Joseph Kelly     | Lebanon, N. H.        | Eleanor Nora Dow          | Cornish, N. H.       |
| June          | Hanover, N. H.    | Leo Joseph Fortier, Jr.    | Leo Joseph Fortier       | Lebanon, N. H.        | Kate Elizabeth Read       | Plainfield, N. H.    |
| Aug.          | Plainfield, N. H. | Beverly Ann Wilder         | Norman Erwin Wilder      | Brattleboro, Vt.      | Bernice Ola Barup         | Bath, Maine          |
| Oct.          | Plainfield, N. H. | Rayne Lee Slayton          | Hayden Alfred Slayton    | Montgomery, Vt.       | Ona Edith Jillson         | Jay, Vt.             |
| Oct.          | Hanover, N. H.    | Gene Victor Hewes          | Victor Gordon Hewes      | Lebanon, N. H.        | Hazel Irene Howe          | Woodstock, Vt.       |
| Nov.          | Hanover, N. H.    | Anne Howe McNamara         | William Thos. McNamara   | Woodsville, N. H.     | Augustine Pardee Shaw     | Tunbridge, Vt.       |
| Still birth   | Hanover, N. H.    | Ellen Pardee Butler        | Allen Churchill Butler   | Cambridge, Mass.      |                           | Boston, Mass.        |
| May           | Hanover, N. H.    | Maureen Williams           | Wallace Henry Williams   | Plainfield, N. H.     | Ruth Alden Porter         | Plainfield, N. H.    |
| Jan.          | Windsor, Vt.      | Sandra Lee Wilder          | Harold Samuel Wilder     | Windsor, Vt.          | Mildred Irene Stearns     | Meriden, N. H.       |
| Feb.          | Hanover, N. H.    | Thomas Franklin Willis     | Eugene Francis Willis    | Brockton, Mass.       | Lucia Florence Briggs     | Brookline, Mass.     |

# DEATHS

| Date    | Place of Death     | Name                       | Age | Place of Birth     | Name of Father       | Name of Mother    |
|---------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 1949    |                    |                            |     |                    |                      |                   |
| May 11  | Washington, D. C.  | Daniel Augustus Richardson | 84  | Providence, R. I.  |                      |                   |
| 1951    |                    |                            |     |                    |                      |                   |
| Jan. 13 | Hanover, N. H.     | Kathryn Ash Carlson        | 42  | Brooklyn, N. Y.    | Charles Ash          | Lucretia Durfey   |
| Feb. 21 | Unity, N. H.       | Ida M. Dow                 | 68  | Sandwich, N. H.    | Benjamin H. Heath    | Lydia A. Moulton  |
| Feb. 24 | Wentworth, N. H.   | Edna Mae Knight            | 84  | North Hartland, Vt | Lorenzo Knight       | Celestia Austin   |
| Apr. 24 | Sunapee, N. H.     | Dixon D. Davis             | 39  | Windsor, Vt.       | Ivan Davis           | Kate Stickney     |
| June 25 | Hartford, Vt.      | Robert J. Bartlett         | 54  | Thetford Hill, Vt. | Elmer Bartlett       | Hattie Daniels    |
| July 23 | Arlington, Va.     | Esther Jordan Richardson   | 87  | Plainfield, N. H.  | John C. Whitney      | Ella Peaslee      |
| July 26 | Hanover, N. H.     | John W. Whitney            | 62  | Methuen, Mass.     |                      |                   |
| Aug. 11 | Weiman, California | Albert Daniels French      | 77  |                    |                      |                   |
| Aug. 2  | Meriden, N. H.     | Annie H. Davis             | 76  | Methuen, Mass.     | Jashua Hill          | Caroline Heath    |
| Nov. 2  | Plainfield, N. H.  | Roland Ruel Payette        | 33  | Lebanon, N. H.     | George Payette       | Addie Yelle       |
| Dec. 2  | Concord, N. H.     | Benjamin Ainsworth         | 83  | Woodbury, Vt.      | Eli Warren Ainsworth | Sarah Jane Parks  |
| Jan. 17 | Concord, N. H.     | Vinnie M. Slack            | 79  | Salisbury, N. H.   | John Merrill         | Sarah A. Hastings |
| Jan. 6  | Amherst, N. H.     | Charles Alden Tracy        | 78  | Cornish, N. H.     | Stephen Alden Tracy  | Agnes Bailey      |
| Jan. 7  | Plainfield, N. H.  | Cora May Hendrick          | 64  | Lancaster, N. H.   | Horatio G. Hadgdon   | Clara E. Hadgdon  |





